Weather.
Fine and hot. The maximum temperature yesterday was 95.7 and the minimum 78.4, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 93.2 and 74.8.

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MANILA LOOKS FOR RENEWAL OF POLITICAL STORM SOON

Leaders Busy Strengthening Lines For Outbreak

STRENGTH TEST

Filipinos Trying To Force Governor-General To Quit

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, July 17.—Manila, and the Philippine Islands generally, lies today in the dead calm wake of a receding political storm which broke around the Government buildings yesterday, and directly in the path of another approaching. Politicians are busy today taking stock of the damage done by yesterday's political blow, and strengthening their lines in preparation for the one which all feel sure is coming, the next one possibly more severe than that of yesterday.

Yesterday's developments came as the climax to a long simmering tendency of the Filipino leaders to test the strength of the Governor General. Ostensibly the shake up was over the Governor General's action in reinstating a member of the city's secret service force who had been suspended by the Secretary of the Interior, and charged by the Secretary and the Mayor of Manila with grave irregularities. But the real significance of the whole affair lies much deeper. It has already involved the tendering of resignations of the Secretary of the Interior and the Mayor and also of the secret service member involved. In the next blow the resignations of the entire Cabinet may be involved.

On March 1, last, the Secretary of the Interior, Mr. Jose P. Laurel, ordered the suspension of Detective Ray Conley, on charges of receiving bribes from members of the city. The suspension was made without conference or consultation with the Chief of Police, Conley's immediate superior. Conley had previously been twice examined by police administrative boards, and on both occasions acquitted. Secretary Laurel turned the prosecution in the bribery charge over to the Department of Justice.

The trial was a sensational one, with the Secretary of the Interior and Mayor Fernandez actively supporting the prosecution, while the Chief of Police and Chief of the Secret Service strenuously defended Conley. Conley was acquitted by the court.

Immediately Conley was acquitted by the courts, Secretary Laurel and Mayor Fernandez instituted further administrative charges against the detective. At this point the Governor General took a hand in the proceedings, and ordered a board of investigation to probe the additional charges against Conley, and if they found them unfounded, to recommend his reinstatement to the service. Secretary Laurel and Mayor Fernandez intimated that if Conley were reinstated they would forthwith resign their posts.

In the meantime a breach had grown between the Chief Executive and the Philippine Legislature on the question of power of the Governor General's veto. The Legislature had passed a bill remitting penalties for non-payment of the land tax in certain provinces. This was regarded as a vote-catching scheme and pork barrel tactics by the Governor General and he vetoed the bill. The leading members of both Houses of the Legislature then went on a political stumping tour of the southern provinces, inveighing against the Governor General. Governor General Wood was also in the south on a tour of inspection. He invited the Legislative party to meet him at Cullon, or at any other point they would name, for a conference. The party refused his invitation and continued their tour independently, at every place any of the members spoke they challenged the authority of the Governor General in the use of his veto powers and in what they termed his "meddling in the internal affairs of the islands." An interview given to the press by Senator Quezon on his return from the south did not help matters.

So when the police investigat-

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BY J. L. BUTTS

If he figured on working upon the sympathies of the Court Bak Noen-foo should have selected a less humid morning than yesterday's.

Bak had been called in to answer for the theft of one silk waistcoat, one Cotton gown and one pair of cotton trousers belonging to Yung Noog-noen. He admitted stealing the raiment. But, said he, the reason was that his own clothes were very thin and he had been suffering from the cold. He figured that he needed just about as many more garments as those pertaining to Yung to make him comfortable.

The Court wiped its brow and ordered the jailer to pick out a nice inside cell without drafts for Bak to occupy about a week.

A DEPOSIT IS MADE

The complacency of Wong Tsung-yuen received a severe jolting at the Mixed Court yesterday.

Wong entered the dock with a bored expression which intensified during the testimony of the two complainants in the case. "Why all this bother about a little thing which can easily be adjusted and forgotten?" seemed to be about the translation for the facial workings and general attitude of the prisoner.

Complainant No. 1 described to the Court how Wong had come to him and purchased four chairs, for which he tendered a check drawn on the Shanghai Chinese Bank in the amount of $12. The bank officials when confronted with the check raised their eyebrows and informed the witness that Wong had no funds deposited in that institution.

Complainant No. 2 told a tale concerning the purchase by Wong of 20 leathern boxes, for which a check in the sum of $53 was presented. This bit of paper likewise was repudiated when submitted for payment.

The Court looked inquiringly at Wong.

"It's all right," declared that worthy, in somewhat irritated tones. "I'll deposit some money in the bank and they can cash their checks tomorrow."

It was at this point that the Court turned on the current and shocked Wong mute by informing him that he could consider himself a deposit in the Municipal repository for a six months' period and that he would be required to make good on the checks as well.

Hopes For Radio Agreement Soon

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—The Postmaster-General informed a deputation of the Empire Press Union that he hoped that the license and agreement with the Marconi Company for an imperial wireless service would be signed within a month.

The Government expected to have the high-power station at Rugby erected in a little over twelve months, hence this would enable the Imperial wireless service to be carried out in conjunction with the Marconi Company.

He added that the charges for wireless messages would be lower than cable rates.

Britain Likely To Agree To 12 Mile Zone, Report

(Reuter's Service)

New York, July 24.—The Washington correspondent of the Times states that British acceptance of the proposal by the Secretary of States, Mr. Hughes, of a 12-mile limit for liquor searches, is expected by high administrative officials as a result of a favorable report by the British interdepartmental committee examining the question.

Tls.500 Damages Awarded Mrs. Ada Roggers In Case Against Tramway Company

Plaintiff, Suing For $5,000, Gets Verdict As Result Of Accident In 1921

Damages in the amount of Tls. 500, with costs, were awarded by a jury in the British Supreme Court yesterday to Mrs. Ada Roggers, 26 Rue Paul Beau, who sued the Shanghai Electric Construction Company, Ltd., for $5,000 as a result of a tram car accident which occurred near Honan Road on November 29, 1921.

The case was heard before Judge Sir Skinner Turner and a jury composed of Messrs. N. C. McGregor, H. C. Marshall, J. W. Nicholson, R. A. Young and R. A. Young and A. J. Brown.

Mr. P. W. Goldring represented the plaintiff and Mr. R. N. Macleod the defendant company.

The plaintiff, in her claim, set forth that on the day in question she entered a tramcar at Mohawk Road, going in an easterly direction. The destination was Honan Road. Upon alighting, and before she had reached the ground it is alleged the car without warning suddenly started. She was thrown to the ground and dragged along the roadway, finally falling on her back and head. She was removed to the General Hospital, where she was found to be suffering from concussion of the brain. Her spectacles were broken and her clothes torn.

The defence put in a complete denial of negligence, claiming if there was any negligence plaintiff contributed to it by trying to alight from a tramcar when in motion.

Mr. Goldring addressed the jury and detailed the facts explaining also the delay in bringing the case into court. The plaintiff had a recurrence of terrible headaches. She also suffered from loss of memory, having lost her way in Shanghai on several occasions. Counsel referred to the way conductors usually started the cars before passengers got off. There had been a number of these accidents.

Mr. Macleod objected to any reference being made to other accidents and his contention was upheld.

Mr. Goldring said he contended that the company's servants were negligent about seeing people getting off the cars. The number of the particular car was not known and no report had been made of the accident.

Plaintiff was called and said that after she had told the conductor she was alighting at Honan Road on the day of the accident he took no notice. The car seemed to stop and she had one foot on the car and one was in the air just as she was about to alight.

The Judge: Did you hear any whistle blown? No.

What happened to you? I clung to the handrail. I got very frightened. I fell heavily on my back and my head was hit very badly.

Witness said she was stunned for a few seconds and someone took her to the hospital.

The Judge: What happened at the hospital? Did you see a doctor? Have you any idea as to how long have you been in the hospital? I was in the hospital for about half of an hour. Then I went home.

RETURNS TO HOME

Mr. Goldring: How did you go home? They asked me in the hospital if I wanted to go home in a motor car but I replied that I would take a tramcar. Someone helped me to get out of the tramcar. I was by myself. When I got to Mohawk Road I got out and took a ricksha to my home.

Was there any damage done to your clothing? My dress was of no use. One of my hat pins was broken. I was wearing a small hat at that time. The other pin I did not use that day. A few days later my little girl pointed out to me that the pin was broken. The hat was all bent up. It is of no use.

After that what was the state of your health? At night when my husband came home I told him that I fell from the tramcar. I had a big lump at the back of my head. My little girl told me afterwards that I was shouting all night. I felt very ill. I saw a doctor at the hospital. It was Dr. Fearn. I have not seen any doctor at my house. Later on I saw Dr. Marsh at his office. I was very ill. My memory was like a small child's memory. It lasted for weeks. After three months I got lost two or three times in Nanking Road. I am not a person suffering from real sickness. I have never been in the hospital at all. I am not one of these headachy people.

Witness said she suffered a

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ASKS BRITAIN TO CALL NEW DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

Labor Member Sees New Race For Supremacy

HITS AT BASE PLAN

Opposition Leader Describes Project As Colossal Folly

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—In the House of Commons today the debate on disarmament was initiated by Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, who moved a Labor Party resolution deploring the enormous and growing expenditure on the forces, which was again beginning competition in armaments and depleting the resources for social services, and urging the Government to take immediate steps to call an international disarmament conference. He said that the League of Nations was not mentioned because the Labor Party wished the United States to join the conference.

The Leader of the Opposition described the Singapore naval base project as colossal folly and a wild and wanton escapade. He said that competition in the air had started and it was very difficult to say who was responsible. There was no enemy and no threat at Singapore. In certain circumstances the line of our commercial communications might be cut and one maritime nation in the north might send a fleet two days' sail and menace the coast of one of the self-governing nations of the British Commonwealth. That was all. We could say that we had no intention of threatening anybody and it might be perfectly true, but would the Japanese believe it?

Mr. Asquith said that he was sceptical of any strategic advantage from the Singapore base, the construction of which would involve immeasurable expenditure which it would be impossible to confine to £10,000,000. He strongly appealed to the Government to stay their hands until the scheme had been submitted to the Imperial Conference and all the expert opinion on which the disputable and hazardous adventure was founded had been placed before Parliament.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin said that the Government believed that an attempt at this moment to convene an international conference would not only not lead to success, but would lead to indefinite postponement of any possibility of achieving the end that all desired. He was of opinion that the moment could not arrive to approach the problem with any chance of success until the condition of Europe with regard to reparations and the security of frontiers was settled.

The motion was defeated by 286 votes to 169.

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 24.—Sir Frank Swettenham, in a letter to the Times, terms as a fantastic contention that Britain is precluded from executing the Singapore scheme by anything said or implied at Washington.

In conclusion Sir Frank Swettenham says that if the dock is built and whether or not the garrison is increased it can hardly be disputed that the great commercial docks and coal stores at Singapore are defended for Imperial purposes and he trusts that it will be made clear that no increased burden will be thrown on the Colony which has never failed either in loyalty or in generosity.

L. D. KEARNEY IS ARRESTED AT CHINGHAI ON ARMS DEAL

Alleged Gun-Runner Caught By Deputy Van Buskirk

SCHURMAN HELPS

Preliminary Hearing Before Commissioner Lurton Today

Captain L. D. Kearney, old time sea captain, self-styled advisor to the Civil Governor of Chekiang, and alleged gun-runner and importer of Russian refugees in wholesale lots, was arrested at Chinghai yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal Van Buskirk, and will be brought to Shanghai on the s.s. Hsin Peking early this morning.

Capt. Kearney will probably come up before U. S. Commissioner Nelson E. Larton for his preliminary hearing today.

Deputy Marshal Van Buskirk went to Chinghai on Monday in his second attempt to apprehend Kearney, who was believed to be in hiding there under the protection of Chinese officials who were interested in seeing that Kearney was not brought up before Judge Lobingier. Because of the alleged protection he was unable to apprehend him on his first trip.

SHADOWED

United States District Attorney Husar was anxious to get a hold of Kearney, however, and so after a conference with U. S. Marshal Porter a Chinese detective was obtained from Mr. William Armstrong, Chief of the Criminal Investigation Department, and sent to Chinghai, the sea port on the Ningpo river, to shadow Kearney. The detective reported that Kearney was in Changhai living on board one of the Chekiang War Police gunboats.

With that information Marshal Porter wired Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, the American Minister at Peking and secured his promise of co-operation by presenting the matter to the Chinese Government. Dr. Schurman's co-operation was evidently effective because Deputy Van Buskirk had no difficulty in placing Capt. Kearney under arrest when he went to Chinghai on this trip.

"You may say that Dr. Schurman has unquestionably made it possible for Capt. Kearney to be arrested," Marshal Porter said last night.

STARTS BATTLE

The arrest of Capt. Kearney makes it possible for District Attorney Husar to proceed with his fight against alleged gun-runners as he planned, and also presages one of the most interesting and important legal battles ever to be fought in the American Court. Kearney was arrested under a warrant sworn out by Mr. Husar charging him with violations of the treaties of Wang-hsia and Tientsin, entered into between the old Chinese Empire and the United States 1844 and 1858. If Kearney is found guilty he will, according to Mr. Husar's interpretation of the treaty, be turned over to the Chinese authorities for prosecution as extraterritorial rights will be withdrawn from him.

IMPORTANT CASE

U. S. Commissioner Lurton made an important ruling concerning the importation of arms and the arrest of Americans or others under American protection yesterday when he dismissed charges against a Chinese "boy" on the President McKinley, alleged to have brought 350 rounds of ammunition to Shanghai.

The Chinese, Lee Sau, was tried before Commissioner Lurton after he had been placed under arrest by the Customs authorities, because he is employed on an American vessel and therefore under American jurisdiction. He was dismissed because Commissioner Lurton held that the Customs had no right to arrest him on board an American ship and because the ammunition was in fact never brought ashore.

Mr. Lurton's decision follows: The point is that while Lee Sau had the ammunition in his possession he did not in fact bring it into the country as he was arrested aboard the ship. The ruling in the case is as follows: "The testimony of the wit-

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Bulgarian King To Wed Child Princess

Princess Ileana and King Boris.

THE London Daily News announces the engagement of King Boris of Bulgaria, to Princess Ileana, only 14, daughter of the King and Queen of Rumania. No date has been set for the wedding, owing to the revolution in Bulgaria. The Princess will be the third of the daughters of the Rumanian rulers to become Queen of a Balkan State, two of her sisters being Queens of Serbia and of Greece.

TURKEY'S PREWAR DEBT TO BE PAID BY OLD STATES

Treaty Also Provides That All Concessions Are To Be Maintained

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—Reuter's Lausanne Correspondent in a long telegram summarises the main points on which the Treaty of Peace is different from the draft Treaty presented to the Turks on January 1st. Apart from the [illegible] by the Treaty also provides:—

That the pre-war Ottoman Public Debt shall be distributed between Turkey and the territories detached from Turkey after the Balkan and Great Wars;

That foreign post-offices in Turkey shall be suppressed;

That conditions shall be provided under which the British Empire shall enjoy the cession of the Anzac area, and visits to it shall be facilitated;

That all concessiones, duly granted to Allied nationals before October 29, 1914, shall be maintained;

That the Mudania Convention shall remain in force until the end of the evacuation of Constantinople and the Straits, subject to all measures being taken to avoid incidents and subject to local agreements between the Turkish and Allied Commanders during the evacuation operations. Turkey undertakes to admit complete freedom of passage to the fleets of the three Allies through the Straits until the Straits Convention is enforced and does not object to the stationing in the Straits of one cruiser and 2 torpedo-boats of each of the three Allies till December 31 or the enforcement of the Straits Convention, whichever may be earlier.

(BY UNITED PRESS)
Special to The China Press

Lausanne, July 24.—Ismet Pasha is remaining here until Friday in order to sign the so-called Chester concessions treaty with the United States.

Members of the Chester group who are here expect to begin operations immediately after the treaty is signed.

"Fine And Hot" Today Again, Says Weather Man

Yesterday—Ta-shu, the Day of Great Heat—the official reading of the thermometer gave the temperature as 95.7, just a wee bit hotter than it was the day before and more than two degrees warmer than on the corresponding day last year.

And the Weather Man again predicts that today will be "fine and hot."

REV. H. K. WRIGHT DROPS DEAD ON TENNIS COURT

Prominent Presbyterian Missionary Dies At Dixwell Road Club Courts

The Rev. Harrison King Wright, well known Presbyterian missionary and vice-chairman of the American School, dropped dead while playing tennis at the Dixwell Road Club courts yesterday evening shortly after 6 o'clock.

Rev. [illegible] in perfect health and it is thought that the exertion of the game, together with the heat, caused heart failure. He was in the midst of a game with Mr. Claude Morgan when he suddenly crumpled up and fell to the court. Mr. Morgan and others on the courts immediately rendered first aid, but when they saw their work was apparently useless rushed him to the Victoria Nursing Home. It is thought that death was instantaneous.

NOTED SCHOLAR

Rev. Wright was an American, 47 years of age. He was a graduate of Union College and Union Seminary and came to China in 1902 as principal of the Presbyterian Academy at Ningpo. While there he perfected the local dialect to such an extent he was considered one of the most proficient Chinese scholars among Presbyterians here, and came to Shanghai under assignment as translator and publisher with the Christian Literature Society.

He is survived by his widow at 1c Darroch Road, and one son, Hugh, who is now in Peitaiho. The funeral services will be held at Bubbling Well Cemetery at 6.15 o'clock this afternoon. Because of Rev. Wright's sudden death the Woman's Auxiliary meeting which was scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Lacy, 724 Avenue Joffre at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon, has been postponed for one week.

Urges Britain To Aid Cotton Growers

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—Mr. Hyslop Bell in a letter to the Daily Telegraph, drawing attention to the desirability of encouragement of Empire cotton-growing, emphasises the spectacular increase in Japan's demands for raw cotton, and points out that last year she secured nearly seventy percent of the Indian exports of cotton, whereas the United Kingdom only took nine percent. He declares that Japan has now turned her attention to buying cotton from Uganda.

Mr. Bell considers that it should be stipulated that Government support for the improvement of cotton crops in the Colonies should be accompanied by a proviso that the exported crop should first go to satisfy British requirements.

EX-PRESIDENT LI REPORTED ON WAY HERE FROM TIENTSIN

May Attempt To Form Government With Tong

BACKED BY LU?

Shanghai To Be Political Storm Center Of Nation

(Dah Tong News Bureau)

Tientsin, July 24.—President Li Yuan-hung left for Shanghai this afternoon on board a Japanese steamer.

The departure of President Li for Shanghai will most likely make this city the political storm center of the nation since he will doubtless make an attempt to organise a government here. Latest reports show that 360 Parliamentarians are already here and only few score are needed to complete a necessary quorum.

In the event of the establishment of a government, Mr. Tong Shao-yi is likely to act as premier. It will be remembered that immediately after his departure from Peking for Tientsin, General Li authorised Mr. Tong to organise a Cabinet. Although Mr. Tong did not accept it at the time, his recent efforts in bringing General Li down from Tientsin at least indicate that he is interested in Mr. Li's condition and would possibly co-operate with him in the latter's future political activities.

Others that are expected to play important roles in the new formation are Mr. Chiang Ping-lion, the celebrated scholar; General Tsen Chun-hsuan, the tiger mandarin; and Mr. Chu Fu-chen, leader of the Chekiang Parliamentarians.

BACKED BY LU

The fact that General Li had chosen Shanghai as his next place of abode indicates that he has had already an understanding with General Lu Yung-hsiang, Director of Military Rehabilitation of Chekiang who controls this part of the country. General Li's personal representative and private secretary, Mr. Chin Yung-hsien, spent the week-end in Hangchow consulting General Lu. Although no statement was made public after Mr. Chin's return to Shanghai Monday morning, it is understood by his personal friends that the interview was entirely satisfactory and it was perhaps as a result of Chin's consultation with General Lu that General Li made the decision yesterday afternoon.

Because of his antagonism against the Chihli potentates, General Li, despite the demonstration of his weakness while serving as the nation's chief executive, still have many sympathetic supporters in this part of the country as well as in Manchuria and the Southwest.

ESCAPED DETECTIVES

While a refugee in the foreign settlements of Tientsin, General Li was shadowed by detectives of the Chihli party. It was first thought that he would never be able to leave the Northern port on account of the scrutiny, but the above despatch shows that he had finally succeeded in getting away from vigilance.

The action itself, of course, forms one of the significant and dramatic events in the history of the republic. If the Chihli party persists in its holding on the Peking administration, which is most likely, China will have two governments once more, both claiming diplomatic recognition.

Students of international law would perhaps have much food for thought as to which would be the legal govrenment. And, indeed, it will be an interesting point for diplomatic discussion also, because Li manifestly is still president of China, having been forced to flee the capital because the water and electricity supplies at his residence at Tungchang Hutung was cut and because rowdies were employed to hold constant demonstrations in

front of his home as well as his office.

It will probably stay in Hardoon's Garden.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 24.—Mr. Wang Chung-hui finally tendered his resignation as Finance Minister today.

It is believed that this will be accepted as soon as a successor has been appointed.

L. D. Kearney Is Arrested At Chinghai

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necess having been heard by me, it appears that the defendant was arrested on board the S. S. President McKinley, and at the time of said arrest had 350 rounds of ammunition on his person. The evidence submitted shows that the defendant had not come ashore with this ammunition on his person prior to his arrest.

"The law applicable to this cases treats the defendant who appears to be of Chinese birth, as being for all intents of purposes in the same status, as if he were an American citizen, in so far as the commission of a crime while on board this ship is concerned. The evidence submitted fails to show that the defendant brought ammunition into China, as he never actually landed same on the shore.

"It may have been his intention to do so, but in so far as the law under which he could have been convicted is concerned, there is no provision for attempting to commit the act complained of. Having fully considered the evidence, I find that the defendant has not committed any crime for which this Court can take jurisdiction, or to find a prima facie case which would bind him over to any other court for trial. It is therefore ordered that this cause be dismissed, and the defendant discharged from further answering to same.

"It is further ordered that the ammunition offered in evidence and now in Court, can be delivered to the defendant upon his request, but only to him when he is aboard an American vessel, and then only by the United States Marshal or his Deputies."

AUSTRALIA GOV'T. UPHELD BY VOTES AT NEW SESSION

The first stage of the new session of the Parliament of the Commonwealth of Australia ended on June 22, when the House of Representatives agreed to the motion for the adoption of the address in reply. Four amendments were moved by Mr. Charlton (Leader of the Opposition), Mr. Anstey (Deputy Leader of the Opposition), Mr. Scullin and Mr. Blakeley, respectively. In each instance the Prime Minister, Mr. S. M. Bruce, replied to the charges launched against the Government.

The attacks of the Opposition were centered in the rights of the Commonwealth with regard to (a) constitutional powers, (b) Empire Defence and foreign policy, (c) the sale of the Commonwealth Woollen Mills, and (d) the Commonwealth's relations with the Anglo-Persian Oil Coy. Each vote of censure was defeated, the voting being strictly on party lines.

The new representative in the House of representatives for the Northern Territory, Mr. H. G. Nelson, was sworn in.

The Minister for Customs, Mr. Austin Chapman, gave notice of his intention to introduce bills to amend the Customs Act, 1901-1922 and the Tariff Board Act, 1921.

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Finishes Monument To John Mitchell

CHARLES Keck, the noted sculptor, is shown at work on his remarkable statue of John Mitchell, great leader of the labor forces and former head of the American coal miners. A large plaque will be placed behind the statue, showing various phases of Mr. Mitchell's life. The statue will be unveiled this Fall in Scranton, Pa.

Manila Warring On Smugglers

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, July 17.—To be searched or not to be searched: that is the question troubling Manilans today following an order by Collector Aldanese that all passengers and visitors disembarking from ships in the harbor be closely searched by customs officers in an effort to check alleged smuggling of diamonds and other precious stones. Collector Aldanese says more than 15,000 worth of precious stones were smuggled into Manila during the past year by incoming passengers and persons who went on board the ships to meet friends.

The new order which went into effect last Monday applies to both men and women. A lady customs guard has been assigned to the piers to take care of women passengers.

The order has raised a storm of protest from Manila residents, ship captains, incoming passengers and businessmen generally. Many persons fear that this order, unique in the ports of the Far East, will have an adverse effect on intending visitors and the tourist trade of the Philippines.

After vigorous protests from the press, Collector Aldanese says he is willing to discontinue the practice of search if the smuggling ceases. Otherwise he is determined to enforce the other.

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Important Records Of Cook's Voyages Held In Australia

In June a collection of relics of the Captain Cook's voyages was exhibited in Federal Parliament House, Melbourne. The most important exhibit was Cook's journal of his first voyage in H.M.S. Endeavour. The journal was purchased in London by the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia for £5,000.

Other Cook manuscripts, also purchased by the Commonwealth Government and exhibited, included the secret instructions by the British Admiralty to Captain Cook, and among the articles were antique contemporary charts and maps, portraits of the navigator, the medals struck to commemorate his voyage, historical and descriptive volumes dealing with Cook's voyages, engravings of scenes in the Sandwich Isles and other places included in his itineraries, interesting because of incidents associated with the fate of Cook or his fellow voyagers. There were six cases of exhibits, besides a number of documents displayed on screens.

New Carlton Cafe

The select company of international entertainers which has been drawing large crowds to the New Carlton has extended its engagement until Thursday night, when it is compelled to go North to fulfill contracts. For tonight and tomorrow night request programs will be given by Miss Amie Maynard, who by the way is the daughter of John H. Maynard, famous British painter, and Miss Effie Burton, Italian prima donna. Clifford Adams, noted American composer, will change his program at the piano and the Dontsoff family will fill out the program.

Britain To Start Work On Dirigibles

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—The newspapers assert that the Government will shortly announce its decision to support a modified form of Commander Burney's scheme for an Empire airship service, and state that Commander Burney is ready to start building airships immediately Government assent is secured.

The airships will be 760 feet long and 119 feet wide, and will be capable of carrying 120 to 159 passengers at a speed of 80 miles per hour with a sufficient quantity of non-inflammable fuel for a non-stop journey of five days. They will fly to Egypt in 2½ days, to Bombay in 5 days, to Rangoon in 7 days, to Singapore in 8 days and to Perth in 11 days.

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Repudiation Of International Obligations, Big Obstacle

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, July 23.—In his letter to Mr. Samuel Gompers with regard to recognition of Soviet Russia, the Secretary of State, Mr. Hughes, says that, even were not the stability of the Soviet Government and the acquiescence or submission to it of the Russian people still an open question, Moscow's continual repudiation of international obligations would alone prevent recognition by the United States.

EMPRESS BRINGS BIG MAIL FROM AMERICA FRIDAY

Bringing a heavy mail from America, and passengers and freight as well, the Empress of Russia will arrive at Woosung from Vancouver and Japanese ports at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon. The tender with incoming passengers from the steamer is expected at the Customs jetty about 3:30 p.m. The vessel will sail for Hongkong Saturday morning, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave at 8 a.m.

Following the Empress boat, another heavy mail will arrive on the President Jackson next Monday. The liner is due to arrive at Yokohama from Seattle today.

The Tenyo Maru arrived at Woosung from San Francisco, Honolulu and Japan ports at midnight last night, and sails for Hongkong and Manila this evening. Incoming passengers from the vessel are expected to land at the Customs jetty about 9.30 o'clock this morning, and thet tender with outgoing passengers and baggage for Woosung will leave the jetty at 3 p.m.

With the sailing of the President Madison early yesterday morning, the next fast mail for America will go on the Empress of Canada, Monday, July 30. The Madison takes 138 passengers, including 56 Russian refugees from this port, and should dock at Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on August 9.

The Kaga Maru of N. Y. K. will also sail for Seattle next Saturday morning, and the tender with outgoing passengers for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 8 o'clock. The Yokohama Maru which was to sail for Seattle next Friday, has been delayed and will now leave this port on Tuesday, July 31.

Mail for Europe will be sent on the Kashima Maru next Saturday, closing at 9 p.m. Friday. The Kashima is leaving for Marseilles and London Saturday morning, and the outbound passenger tender will leave the Customs jetty at 8 a.m.

Band Program

The following program will be played, weather permitting, by the Municipal Band in the Public Garden this evening, beginning at 9:15 p.m.:

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3—Waltz, "Grande Valsi de Concert" ..... Mattei
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Tls. 500 Damages Awarded In Case Against Tram Co.

(Continued from Page 1)

great deal last summer and could not sleep.

The Judge: You put that down to the tramcar accident? Yes. I have been nearly crazy.

Mr. Goldring: You are in the habit of travelling on tramcars? Yes, I cannot afford motors.

You are not in the habit of jumping on and off? No. I know better than that. Small children and Chinese do it.

Witness then went to remark that the tramcar conductors had not improved, and did the same thing last week.

The Judge interposed and said: Accusations are made against tram conductors all over the world.

PHYSICIAN TESTIFIES

Dr. Marsh gave evidence as to the examinations he had made of the plaintiff, who had complained of headaches, loss of memory, inability to count figures, etc., and these with vomiting and other symptoms were suggestive of concussion of the brain. He had seen her with Dr. Cumming, the tramway doctor, and again yesterday when she found she was no longer troubled with her eyesight, and her memory was better, although she was occasionally dizzy.

In reply to Mr. Goldring the doctor said that a recurrence of these headaches was possible as concussion leaves a scar on the brain.

Cross-examined by Mr. Macleod he would not describe the injuries as serious. He did remember a remark being made when Dr. Cumming was with him, that when plaintiff was at the hospital Dr. Fearn said "I do not think you are seriously hurt."

Mrs. Roggers was at this stage re-called and in answer to Mr. Macleod said that she did not remember informing a detective at the Hospital that she fell when trying to get out of a tramcar in front of a lot of Chinese.

Mr. D. Carter of Gordon & Co., testified to having found the plaintiff lying in Nanking Road and with the assistance of a Chinese and a foreigner he put her in his car and took her to the hospital. When he found her in the road she was two or three feet away from the island base and lying at right angles to the island.

The Judge thanked witness for having conveyed plaintiff to the hospital.

This was the case for the plaintiff.

Mr. Macleod then addressed the jury for the defendants and called Det. Sergt. MacGregor who stated that he was on duty in Nanking Road when he saw a crowd near the tramway island. He said the woman was lying three or four feet to the west of the west end of the island. Dr. Fearn told him she was suffering from shock.

Witness was asked by the Judge if he could give any explanation as to the difference between him and Mr. Carter as to the position in which the plaintiff was lying, and he said, he could not but felt sure she was at the west end of the island.

Mr. Macleod said no report of any kind had been given to the company and the only man who could have seen any accident would be the conductor.

Testimony was given by Mr. H. N. Muir, superintendent, of the Safety Department of the Tramways Company, and when the session was resumed in the afternoon Dr. Cumming was called. He stated that he had examined Mrs. Roggers but did not consider her injuries very serious. Cross-examined by Mr. Goldring he said that if Mrs. Roggers' brain had been bruised she would have been unconscious for several days. Slight concussions were very frequent things. He did not consider that plaintiff's headaches were due to the accident. They might have resulted from other causes, such as eye trouble.

Mr. Macleod then addressed the jury. What stood out in the case as most extraordinary, he said, was the delay in bringing the action. There was no evidence that Mrs. Roggers had sustained any permanent injuries and the jury could not doubt this after hearing Dr. Cumming's testimony. Could the jury be sure that Mrs. Roggers had not exaggerated her injuries and also her case against the company? He suggested that Mrs. Roggers had got out before the car had reached the traffic island and as she did not know the proper way to alight she, not unnaturally, concluded when she fell that the car had taken a sudden start forward. He asked the jury to find for the defendants.

Mr. Goldring, addressing the jury, contended that the spot in which Mrs. Roggers was found near the middle of the island, was quite consistent with the claim that the car and trailer were at the island. Plaintiff was not the sort of person to get off a moving tram. As to damages, she was not out for blood, but merely wished compensation for damages. Negligence, he said, had obviously been the cause of the accident and he asked for a verdict for the plaintiff.

The Judge in addressing the jury said that if they considered that there had been negligence on the part of the company they must find for the plaintiff. However, if they considered that Mrs. Roggers had got off at her own risk while the tram was in motion they must find for the defendants. It was surprising that the company had not been able to identify the tram or anybody who knew anything about the accident. It was known about what time she got on the tram and it should have been easy to identify it.

French Wireless News And Views

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, July 23.—M. Poincare's speech on Sunday at Villers-Cotterets is generally appreciated in favorable terms by the British press. It is recognised that the Premier in his speech did not touch on the British report in reply to Germany nor on the Allied pourparlers. His reply to the recent attack on France by Mr. Lloyd George is noted with pleasure by the majority of the papers who are opposed to Mr. Lloyd George. The Daily Mail publishes an article along similar lines, which concludes: "Germany is not handicapped by heavy debt and reparations. British industry and commerce will lose as soon as Germany begins to work with a full output."

M. Le Trocquer, the Minister of Public Works, on Sunday inspected various storeyards in the occupied territory. The existing stocks of coal are estimated at about 1,500,000,000 (tons ?) which will satisfy the needs of the French and Belgian metal industries until January.

Certain industrialists are showing a slackening in passive resistance. On the example of the Burgomaster of Witten several persons have presented themselves to pay the Kohlensteuer (coal-tax). The manager of the Witten Hydraulic Pump Works paid 100,000,000 marks as coal tax for 500 tons of coal required for the elevation factory.

During the second quarter of 1923 Germany has constructed 75 ships, taking second place after Britain with 201,199 tons.

It is reported from Lausanne that the Turco-Polish agreement, comprising a Treaty of Commerce and a commercial convention, was signed today by MM. Modoelminky, Ladis and Tanen for Poland and Ismet Pacha, Rizanor Bey and Assan Bey for Turkey. The ratification of the signatures will take place at Berne as soon as possible. The Treaty of Commerce comprises 15 Paragraphs, two Annexes and 1 final protocol.

The report on emigration from Italy during the first six months of 1923 gives the following figures:

About 190,000 emigrants left Italy.

About 65,000 emigrated overseas and 125,000 to continental countries.

France absorbed the greater part of the emigrants to continental countries, namely, 107,000.

The Paris-London cross-rate is quoted today at: £1=77.08 francs.

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FRENCH LIKELY TO ASK BRITAIN TO AMPLIFY NOTE

Cabinet Council In Paris To Consider Reply Today

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, July 23.—The Premier today considered the British Note on reparations and the occupation of the Ruhr. A cabinet council will meet tomorrow to consider the Note. The newspapers consider it probable that conversations will be arranged between the French Parliament and the British House of Commons.

The Belgian Premier considered the British Note yesterday. The Temps learns that the essential question is still considered to be that of the cessation of passive resistance. Hostility is shown to fixation of the capacity for payment of Germany by an international commission.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, July 23.—M. Poincare discussed the British draft reply to Germany and the accompanying documents with prominent officials at the Quai d'Orsay this morning and arranged to communicate the action he intends to take on the matter to a French Cabinet meeting on July 26.

(BY UNITED PRESS)
(Special To The China Press)

Washington, July 24.—Officials today intimated that the reply to the British note on reparations will at first merely offer opinions on the subject generally and make several suggestions which will enable an exchange of communications between the two governments on the question and thus enable the United States to decide whether it will enter whole heartedly into the plan, or reject it as being inimical to American interests.

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—Reuter's Lobby Correspondent learns that the Ruhr debate, which was set down for Thursday on the Foreign Office vote, has been postponed as it is felt that discussion of the position would not be helpful at present.

It is understood that a final decision regarding Kenya Colony was reached at a Cabinet Council in the House of Commons this evening.

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 24.—It is reported from Berlin that the Government has resolved to issue a gold loan, subscribable in paper marks, to meet the drain on its resources by the struggle in the Ruhr.

Japan To Send Big Emigration Party To Brazil Shortly

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, July 18.—At an estimated cost of Yen 220,000 the Social Affairs Bureau in the Home Affairs Department has decided to send out a large body of Japanese emigrants to Brazil within the current year.

For this purpose thorough propaganda will be launched throughout the entire length and breadth of the Empire this summer through the medium of local intelligence offices as well as the local Governors.

In order to impart information essential to such a propaganda, representatives of different local intelligence offices numbering over a hundred have been called to Tokio from all parts of the Empire for a week's lecture within the building of the Commercial College in Kanda. Among the lecturers appointed by the Home Office are Viscount Goto, Viscount Shibusawa, and many other prominent business men and experts on Brazilian affairs.

Heavy Rains In Japan Cause Of R'way Accidents

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, July 19.—Local despatches report various railway accidents in different parts of the Chuo and Kokuriku lines caused by the continuous rainfall. Between Sanruno and Subara stations on the Chuo line, some of the railway bridges were destroyed, and railway traffic completely suspended. A freight train bound for Nagoya from Shiojiri in Shinshu on the same line was derailed yesterday afternoon. The engine driver was killed on the spot, while two other railway men were seriously injured.

On the Hokuriku line, part of the Kurikara pass crumbled away completely blocking up the railway track. About 150 men were despatched to the scene to clear away the debris. The train service has been temporarily suspended.

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WHAT TH-?

News Brevities

American Consul General at large Nelson T. Johnson has returned to Shanghai after inspecting Amoy and other consulates in that vicinity and is at the Astor House.

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An interesting threat has been made by the Shanghai Labor Association. This is to the effect that should the Shanghai Street Unions persist in their opposition to Parliament's removal to Shanghai, the Labor Association will have no alternative but to withdraw its support from the Unions.

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The Mokanshan Police have asked the Commissoner of Foreign Affairs at Hangchow to approach the proper authorities with a view to prohibiting foreigners from rowing boats at night. The police state that the practice is extremely unsafe especially in view of the many robbers operating in Chekiang at present.

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The sudden rise in the price of rice is the subject of a petition filed by rice merchants with the local authorities, asking for the prohibition of smuggling the cereal for export.

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The results of the election of the members of the Chinese Advisory Committee of the Municipal Council will be announced today at the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

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Some 80 Japanese students are expected to arrive in Shanghai during the week to spend their summer holidays in studying Chinese conditions.

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Marshal Wu Pei-fu is reported by the "Eastern Times" to have issued a statement to the effect that he is determined not to recognise any illegal President, no matter who the person is.

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The frequent damage to orchards and gardens by the theft of fruit, boughs and plants is the subject of a proclamation by the Shanghai District Magistrate, who declares that such a practice is liable to result in punishment for the offenders in future.

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The operator of an opium den at 488 Elgin Road was fined $20, with the alternative of two weeks in jail, by the Mixed Court yesterday and four of his patrons paid fines of $3 each.

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Mrs. A. C. A. Perkes and daughters, Misses Norma and Helen, left for San Francisco yesterday on the s.s. Stuart Dollar. They will make their future home in Berkeley, Cal.

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Mr. R. L. Ellis, manager of the New Carlton Cafe, has gone to Peitaiho for a vacation.

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Mr. George McCarthy of the Admiral Line offices, and Mrs. McCarthy sailed for the United States on the President Madison yesterday.

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Captain George Pettingill, formerly commodore of the American destroyers in China waters, and Mrs. Pettingill and their two sons were passengers for Seattle on the President Madison.

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Announcement is made of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spencer at St. Mary's Maternity Home on July 22.

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Major A. Hilton Johnson and Mr. U. G. Frondorf were passengers on the President Madison, sailing yesterday, for Yokohama.

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Dr. and Mrs. Fresson sailed on the Tuckwo yesterday for Kiukiang en route to Kuling for a holiday.

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Mr. Funatsu, the Japanese Consul-General, has again postponed his tirp to Mukden from July 25 to August 7. He has been instructed by the Tokio Foreign Office to remain here until after the arrival of the new Consul-General, who is due here on August 3. However, the family of Mr. Funatsu will sail for the Manchurian port as scheduled.

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Mr. Sun Han-chang, manager of the Bank of China, has entirely recovered from his recent indisposition and is expected to resume his office at an early date.

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Silk forwarded from Shanghai by the Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of Australia at 10.45 a.m. on July 2, arrived in New York at 1 a.m. July 22, having been 19 days and 14 hours in transit. The company's next sailing will be the Empress of Canada, leaving July 30.

TRIAL TODAY

James Filen, Chris Hanson and William Connor, three unemployed seamen, who are charged with having assaulted Tony, Ansona, a Greek sailor, on Boone Road, will be tried before Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier in the United States Court for China this afternoon.

Manila Looks For Political Storm

(Continued from Page 1)

ing board recommended Conley's reinstatement to the force, the Governor General instructed Secretary Laurel to give the order to the Mayor. Mr. Laurel did so, and promptly handed in his resignation. This was followed by the Mayor's resignation. Conley then tendered his resignation directly to the Governor General, which was accepted, and the City Treasurer was ordered by the Governor General's office to pay Conley for the period of his suspension, plus retirement and accrued leave privileges and payments.

At noon yesterday it became known that shortly after the Legislative party returned from the southern trip, the Department Secretaries—corresponding to the Cabinet—signed a pact agreeing to resign en bloc should the Governor General insist on Conley's reinstatement or demand payment of the land tax from all provinces. It was said they had handed in their resignations yesterday, but this was denied at a late hour last night.

The whole affair is generally regarded here as an attempt to test the powers of the American Governor General.

Filipino Solons Ask Wood's Recall

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, July 24.—Both Houses of the Legislature, sitting as an independence commission, this morning passed a resolution to be submitted to President Harding demanding Governor-General Wood's immediate recall and the appointment of a Filipino Governo-General. They also passed a resolution declaring that complete and absolute independence was the only possible solution of the present Government difficulty.

The situation is generally regarded here as one of internal politics. Senator Quezon is making his stand as the people's champion against the power of a foreign Governor-General, enabling him to make a fusion of the two political parties of which he is president, which would otherwise be impossible. The opposition party is unable to oppose Senator Quezon because such a step would only strengthen him.

All elements are awaiting President Harding's reply.

Dockers' Strike Extends To Tilbury

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—Tilbury is now involved in the unofficial dock strike. Three thousand strikers marched from Canning Town to Tilbury in the night and by persuasion and intimidation induced a large number of the Tilbury dockers to join their ranks. The result is that the work has been stopped on half a dozen large cargo vessels, including two P. and O. and two Clan liners and a number of smaller cargo boats, but an official statement by the Transport Workers's Union expresses the opinion that as soon as the picket is removed the men will return to work.

CANCELLED CONTRACTS

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—In the House of Commons today, replying to Capt. Ainsworth's inquiry about instances of cancelled contracts between Chinese or Japanese and British traders within the past six months, Lieut-Col. Buckley, Parliamentary Secretary to the Overseas Trade Department, said that the three cases in dispute which had arisen had been reported to him confidentially and that he could not therefore supply particulars.

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GOOD CAUSES LIKE BICYCLES KEEP GOING ONLY SO LONG AS SOME ONE KEEPS PUSHING

China Press Sports

SOME FELLOWS ARE ALWAYS BEHIND UNTIL IT IS TIME TO STOP

Shanghai To Have Plenty Of Boxing Soon If Plans Of Promoters Materialise

With The Stadium Going Strong And Two Other Organisations Planned It Looks Like Fists Will Fly; Good Card For Friday

If half of the plans that are now in the wind here are carried to a successful fruition Shanghai will see plenty of boxing this autumn and winter, as no less than three organisations are reported ready to get back of the game in earnest. One, the Stadium, is already a going concern, awaiting only the arrival of boxing talent before opening up on a weekly schedule of bouts.

Yesterday announcements were sent out concerning the "Shanghai Athletic Association," which is to be organised at a meeting at the Old Carlton on Ningpo Road on the evening of Friday, August 3. At this meeting, which has been called by "Billy" Bellew, efforts will be made to form a downtown boxing and athletic club, and to boost athletics generally. At this meeting an association will be formed each member of which is to be a shareholder in the enterprise, and judged by preliminary interest the club is sure to go over big, according to the promoters.

At the meeting a week from Friday night there will be three boxing bouts, together with an exhibition of club swinging and other gymnastic work. After this the new club will be formally launched.

Besides these two boxing organisations there are rumors that a Chinese syndicate is planning a boxing stadium for Chinese territory, although this is probably more talk than anything else.

In the meantime chief interest centers just now in the boxing program that is to be staged at the Stadium on Great Western Road this coming Friday evening. The main event is to be a ten round scrap between Nick Boyle and Toledo, and as these boys are evenly matched the bout promises to be a good one.

Boxing fans will do well to remember, in this connection, that the last program at the Stadium, while none very promising on paper, turned out to be the best card ever offered there, not even excepting the Smith-Chadwick mix-up of the previous boxing night. Nick Boyle and Charlie White, who clashed on that occasion, had met with reverses in their previous battles and for this reason the fans did not expect much from them, and not many attended. The faithful few who did attend, however, witnessed one of the most peppery scraps ever staged in Shanghai.

Nick Boyle is in even better condition than he was on that occasion, and as Toledo is still chafing under the loss of his last match with Nick, which was by a very narrow margin, the battle Friday ought to be a hummer. Both boys are working out daily in preparation for the scrap and both are confident of winning.

This meeting is to be under the auspices of the battlers themselves, with the Stadium management looking after the details only. The boys will divide the "gate" between them.

The Stadium management announces that negotiations are under way for bringing some first class Filipino scrappers up here from Manila, and as soon as these arrangements are completed definite announcement of the next Stadium show will be made. It is the present plan to have a boxing night on Friday, August 10, and from present indications there will be plenty of talent here by that time to insure a first class show.

Here is the card.

MAIN EVENT

Nick Boyle of Australia, 135 lbs. vs. Young Toledo of Manila, 138 lbs.—10 rounds.

SEMI-FINAL

Kid Frisco of Seattle, 135 lbs. vs. "Battling" Favacho of Shanghai, 140 lbs.—6 rounds.

SPECIAL EVENT

Eddie McFarlane of Shanghai, 110 lbs. vs. Kid Corlitos of Manila, 110 lbs.—4 rounds.

PRELIMINARY

Mike Shamtoff, 135 lbs. vs. "Batt" Kyko of Manila, 138 lbs.—4 rounds.

CURTAIN RAISER

Jimmy Fowler of Shanghai, 135 lbs. vs. Eddie Hawe of Shanghai, 136 lbs.—4 rounds.

Schwyzer, Gande Win Trophies At Clay Pigeon Club

The fine weather again attracted a large gathering to the Shanghai Clay Pigeon club's weekly shoot. There was some good shooting, despite the strong wind and the glare of the sun. Schwyzer won the French Cup (30 Leggett double and 20 single barred) and Gande secured the Shire Cup (50 Leggett). The scores follow:

FRENCH CUP

	Score.	H'cap.	Total.
Schwyzer	38	15	53
Gibson	42	4	46
McEuen	36	7½	43½
Pirie	38	5½	43½
Read	38	5	43
Gande	37	5	42
Turford	32	8½	40½
Morriss	31	7½	38½
Algar	29	7½	36½

SHIRE CUP

	Score.	H'cap.	Total.
Gande	48	5	53
Read	47	5	52
Schwyzer	39	13	52
Pirie	44	5½	49½
Gibson	44	4	48
McEuen	40	7½	47½
Morriss	40	7½	47½
C. McBain	39	6	45
Algar	35	7½	42½

Two sweeps followed, Gande winning the first and Pirie the second.

Harding Challenges Canadian Official For 18-Hole Match

Vancouver, B. C., July 16.—A niblick war, with President Harding impersonating the army of the United States, will be fought on Canadian soil when the President returns to Vancouver from his Alaskan trip.

Fred M. Ryder, United States consul general, called on Lieut. Gov. Walter C. Nichol and formally presented the President's challenge to an eighteen hole match.

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BENNY LEONARD WINS BY POINTS FROM TENDLER

Champion Scores Decisive Victory Over Lightweight Contender

(Reuter's Service)

New York, July 23.—Benny Leonard, the holder, scored a decisive victory on points over Lew Tendler tonight in a fifteen-round boxing bout for the World's Lightweight Championship.

Seventy-five thousand persons witnessed the fight. Tendler held the advantage only in the first and second rounds, after which the champion using his left and an occasional swinging right, alternated with upper cuts, made his opponent miss repeatedly. Tendler seemed sluggish and took considerable punishment, especially in the last round when Leonard had it all his own way. Tendler was reeling and apparently on the point of being knocked out when the bell ended the unequal encounter.

"Sweeps" Under Fire In England

London, July 20.—The Cabinet proposes to institute a Committee to investigate the whole position of sweepstakes and lotteries in England when the Betting Committee has concluded its investigations.

BASEBALL TODAY!

The Gallopers will play the Mitsubishi team again today, starting at five o'clock. This will be the last practice game before the arrival of the Peking Marines next Saturday, and Herby suggests that all players turn out for the game. The Marines are going strong this year and it will take the best Shanghai can offer to hold them down. The long lay-off due to the rain took the edge off the Shanghai players and the manager hopes that every available hour will be utilised for practice between now and Saturday.

Portuguese Co. Has July Shoot

Following are the results of the July rifle competition of the Portuguese Co., S.V.C. Conditions were practices 14 and 15 of the A.M.C.

Class			
†"A" Cpl. J. Sequeira	16	14	30
*"B" Cpl. P. Costa	17	16	33
*"C" Pte. J. M. B. Gutierrez	16	11	27
‡"D" L-Cpl. F. Marques	18	12	30
†"E" Cpl. A. Britto	12	11	33

*1st leg on cup, future handicap 4%
†2nd leg on cup, future handicap 8%
‡3rd leg on cup, future handicap 12%

BRITISH FENCERS WIN

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—A fencing team representing Britain today defeated a United States team by 24 matches to 22.

Cricket Results

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—At Perth Wales beat Scotland by an innings and 111 runs. Scotland made 61 in their 1st innings, Merger (Glamorgan) taking 9 wickets for 24, and 185 in their second innings.

CRICKET

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—At Eastbourne, Somerset beat Sussex by 10 wickets. Sussex made 119 in their 1st innings, Glasgow taking 7 wickets for 56, and 100 their 2nd innings, Glasgow taking 7 wickets for 50.

GOLF CUP WINNERS

The competition for the July monthly cup of the Shanghai Golf Club played on Saturday and Sunday, 18 Holes Medal. Club Handicaps resulted as follows:

A CLASS

T. R. Chassels	91	11	80
A. V. Pettitt	95	13	82

B CLASS

20 Cards taken out.

H. E. Rigge	105	23	82

19 Cards taken out.

Chinese Soccer Team Sails For Australian Tour

The Chinese Association Football team departed from Hongkong on July 18 on the Yoshino Maru for Australia, on a tour that will take them to most of the principal cities in Australia and New Zealand. The party numbered 19 in all, including Mr. H. A. Millard, the Australian delegate who has arranged the visit, Mr. Mok Hing, President of the South China Athletic Association, who goes as Manager, 14 players of the S. C. A. A. and three from the North. They filled all the remaining first-class accommodation on the Yoshino.

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Padang Rubber Company Meeting

The 13th annual general meeting of shareholders of the Padang Rubber Company, Ltd., was held yesterday afternoon at the offices of the general managers, Messrs. A. R. Burkill and Sons. The chairman, Mr. C. R. Burkill, said:

"Gentlemen: the report and accounts having been in your hands for some time I will, with your permission, follow the usual course and take them as read.

"In accordance with the decision arrived at the last annual general meeting of the company, tapping was suspended as from the beginning of June, 1922, and the estate given a much needed rest. At the time it was problematical as to how long the estate would require to be rested but in any event, we were prepared to act upon the advice of our visiting agent and rest the trees as long a period as was considered necessary. Tapping has now been resumed on a moderate scale and I am glad to say that the resting has had a most beneficial effect generally and recent reports from the Straits indicate that the benefit from the cessation of tapping are most marked. A conservative system has been inaugurated—a ½ cut alternate day on the old areas and a 'V' cut alternate day on a portion of the young field—the cuts on the latter being so arranged as to allow of an 8 years' bark renewal.

"For many years attempts have been made to establish a settled Tamil force on the Estate to replace the Chinese but chiefly owing to the configuration of the property, efforts in this direction have met with little success. We have now been advised that our manager, Mr. Ractliffe, has contrived to procure a Tamil force sufficient for present requirements and, if this labor can be retained, a distinct improvement in tapping costs should be forthcoming.

"Thinning out was gradually proceeded with during the year and will be continued as labor is available. The position as regards disease is normal and the health of the force has been fairly satisfactory.

"The accounts call for little comment, and in view of my previous remarks, I think we may consider ourselves fortunate in being able to show a small profit on the year's working. When restriction was introduced, it was permissable for companies not producing to dispose of their export allowance and arrangements were made with a neighboring estate to take over the company's license for the first and second quarters' licenses at a remunerative figure but estates are no longer allowed to enjoy this privilege as the amended restriction rules now prohibit the transfer of export licenses. In addition to the profit on the sale of the licenses, we were fortunate in being able to cover the balance of the forward sale sold last year by purchasing the required amount in the open market at a small profit to the company.

"The profit for the year amounted to Tls. 5,232.98 which, added to the amount of Tls. 10,403.07 brought forward from the previous year, makes a total of Tls. 15,636.05 standing at credit of profit and loss account. The directors recommend, after writing off a sum of Tls. 226.34, carrying forward the balance of Tls. 15,409.71 to next year's accounts. The financial position of the company as you will see from the accounts, is very sound and with the estate now on a producing basis the question of the payment of an interim dividend in the near future will have the board's consideration.

"Before concluding, I would like to take this opportunity of recording the board's appreciation of the good work done by Mr. Ractliffe and the estate staff throughout the year.

"That is all I have to say, gentlemen. If any shareholders have any questions to ask, I shall be pleased to answer to the best of my ability."

The following resolutions were passed.

That the report and accounts for the year ended April 30, 1923, together with the recommendation as to appropriation of balance at credit of profit and loss account as presented be accepted.

That Mr. E. T. Byrne be re-elected a director of the company.

That Messrs. G. H. and N. Thomson be re-elected auditors to the company.

Babies Born At Sea Not To Be Barred By U. S.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, July 24.—Immigration Commissioner Curran announces that henceforth babies born at sea under foreign flags will be admitted into the United States "in spite of any dismal old law." The Commissioner permitted two Polish babies to enter the United States, and declared that when he looked at the babies "they crippled my fingers and pleaded their own cause and I didn't need any special court of inquiry. They came in under a new law—the high law of innocence."

Carlton Theater

Mr. H. C. Wentworth, Manager of The Carlton Theater, says he has a very fine list of traveling companies booked for the coming season, the first one of which is announced for early next month is headed by that world famed magician and illusionist, A. Nicola: Nicola, in America, is what Maskelyne and Devant are in Europe: whenever a magician is mentioned, he is at once compared with Nicola, and manager Wentworth feels pleased to announce as his first traveling company, an organisation of such high caliber and refinement.

Although Nicola has appeared in Shanghai, it is doubtful if many of the present Shanghai theatergoers of the present day have seen him, as it was twelve years ago that he last appeared here at the Old Lyceum Theater, where for three solid weeks he played to what is said to have been the record attendance for that theater.

Those who were in Shanghai at that time, will well remember Nicola for his famous Garden Bridge episode, when he advertised to jump off the Garden Bridge into the water handcuffed and manacled by the Municipal Police. Two hours before the appointed time for the feat, it was estimated that fully ten thousand people had crowded on to the bridge and on waters edge, eager to get a peep at what they all felt sure was suicide.

Since his last appearance in Shanghai, Nicola has been continually on tour, and has appeared in every civilised country on the face of the globe.

During the war he was official magical entertainer and many of our boys who have been "over there" will remember his daring stunts at the front.

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Mormons Observe Their Big Holiday

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Salt Lake, July 24.—Members of the Church of Latter Day Saints (Mormon) all over the West are today celebrating the big holiday of their church—Pioneer Day. Pioneer Day is an official holiday in Utah and Idaho, the two states containing the bulk of membership in the Mormon Church, and is also celebrated by Mormons in Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, and Oregon. It is the anniversary of the crossing of the plains by the hardy little band of pioneers who settled Salt Lake under the leadership of Brigham Young.

NAVY SURGEON

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—Surgeon Rear-Admiral Joseph Chambers has been appointed Director-General of the Navy Medical Department.

STADIUM BOXING CLUB

Friday, July 27, 9.15 p.m.

NICK BOYLE of Australia 135 lbs.	MAIN EVENT vs 10 Rds.	YOUNG TOLEDO of Manila 138 lbs.
KID FRISCO 138 lbs.	SEMI FINAL vs 6 Rds.	BOBBY FAVACHO 140 lbs.
EDDIE McFARLANE of Shanghai 112 lbs.	SPECIAL EVENT vs 4 Rds.	KID CARLITOS of Manila 112 lbs.
MIKE SHAMTOFF 135 lbs.	PRELIMINARY vs 4 Rds.	BATTLING KYKO 135 lbs.
JIMMY FOWLER 138 lbs.	CURTAIN RAISER vs 4 Rds.	EDDIE HOWE 138 lbs.

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Business Inert, But With Steady Undertone In Some Lines; Features Of Market

BY DAVID ARAKIE

Business in general produce continues to drag so far as the general list is concerned. Although for the most part it has fallen into the same condition of inertia that has characterised other lines the undertone throughout is steady, but with trading on a small scale. The steadiness of the market is a reflection, no doubt, of the reluctance of the dealer to lower his quotation. Under such circumstances consumers are almost entirely out of the market, the ebb flow of the demand being controlled to a very large extent by small lots. There is a general lack of buying interest. Taken as a whole, the situation is one that calls for very little elaboration, for consumers seem disposed in many cases to hold aloof for a time, pending further developments in the general business and financial and political situation.

Despite the sluggishness of trade, however, prevailing sentiment in market circles is by no means pessimistic. On the contrary, some are disposed to take a cheerful view of the outlook. Encouraging reports continue to be received from various parts of the producing districts and these are bullish for the new crops.

SEEDS ACTIVE

A surprising feature of the trading of the week was the fairly large business done in sesamum seeds with London and the Continent. This was in the new crop, which is not expected to be marketed before October next. It prompts the belief that the consumers and merchants abroad are inclined to think that the price of sesamum seeds is likely to go higher when the season opens. A large volume of business in this commodity was done last week on the basis of £21 15/ ton c.i.f. London, Marseilles or Hamburg.

Chinese dealers are offering to sell sesamum seeds at Tls. 7 per picul for October-November delivery, and the week's transactions covered shipment for these months. It is too early to foretell what the yield of the new crop will be, but indications all point at present to a better season than last, although the one that has recently closed was a fairly good one, the yield being estimated at 80 percent of normal. Germany and Italy were very good buyers last sason of Chinese sesamum seeds, and with the financial collapse of Germany it is a matter of speculation whether the trend of export Germanyward will be on anything like the scale of the previous season.

It is quite possible that France will increase her purchases and so might Italy. It will be recalled that a large amount of trade in this line was diverted from Shanghai on account of the difficulty to secure tonnage for Italy, and Italian buyers were constrained to secure their supplies from India and elsewhere. If a settlement is arrived at in the Ruhr question there should be keen buying for sesamum seeds, and we are likely to witness a steady market throughout the season.

JAPANESE BUYING

The activity in Japanese buying of rapeseeds in Shanghai which was commented upon in a previous contribution on the same subject, has unfortunately fizzled out for the time being, due to the Chinese dealers developing a desire to raise prices, the pretext being that Japan was buying largely. The Japanese price is yen 8.30 per picul whereas the quotation prevailing in Shanghai is yen 8.50 c.i.f. Tokio. In local currency the price is Tls. 5.50 per picul, an advance from Tls. 5.30 per picul. In other words, a rise of two candereens has brought a lucrative business to a halt. The Japanese buyers are adamant and decline to go better in their ideas. It is quite likely that with any probable recession in the value of Indian rapeseeds the Japanese interests will operate in the Calcutta or Bombay market.

The mart in Shanghai for rapeseeds is firm owing to a keen demand from the interior, principally for crushing purposes for the oil mills. Wuhu has been a large buyer, a good trade transpiring in Shanghai for export to that center. Local stocks are estimated at between 300 to 400 tons, the arrivals being good. There is very little to report in rapeseed oil.

WOOD OIL

Reports in regard to wood oil are bullish, and Hankow prices are firm with higher values named in some quarters. There is a fairly active inquiry, and sales are noted at the higher levels. Offerings are generally light on spot and for shipment. The bulk of the business transacted was for future delivery for shipment principally to the United States. Trade in other vegetable oils continues quiet, consumers in many cases still being disposed to await further developments.

The production of eggs has been decreasing every season, and sales are experiencing their ups and downs. The export shows a falling off but prices show an increase. Shipments to Japan for the first half-year show a decrease by 136,654 boxes, as compared with the corresponding period last year. In all, 515,512 boxes valued at yen 515,512 were exported from Shanghai, Tientsin and Tsingtau during the half-year.

Soya beans are moving slowly at recent currencies. Shanghai stocks are very light, but the Dairen price is high for the local merchants, the rate in Dairen being one mace higher than the Shanghai quotation. The Chinese buyers are offering Tls. 4 per picul.

Gingellyseed remains lifeless. Chinese gingellyseeds are quoted at £23.17.6, the nominal value. There is a more active demand for Chinese horse beans. Supply of cottonseeds has fallen off considerably, and the price is nominal.

Reds In Tokio To Have Print Shop

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, July 18.—A printing company is about to be established in Tokio with the gross capital of Yen 600,000 by a communist Mr. Bin Akao whose father Mr. Orinosuke Akao is a millionaire in Nagoya.

The feature of the new organisation lies in the communistic system of organisation each employee of the company being a shareholder, and entitled to a due share of the profits. This is the first company of the kind ever brought into existence in this country and according to the Yomiuri is attracting serious attention of the police authorities.

Chihli Forces Devided, Report

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 24.—A division among the Chihlilites is indicated by General Wang Ju-chen, Commander of the Eighth Division at Ichang, declaring in reply to General Wu Pei-fu's orders to proceed to Chungking to assist General Yang Sen that he is unable to do so on account of the lack of transportation.

Three weeks ago General Wang advised General Tsao Kun that if he wished to become President he should abandon military action against the South. In response General Tsao had him appointed Commander in the Upper Yangtsze.

Reports from military sources are to the effect that General Yen Chih-tang, Commander of the Twentieth Division stationed at Tungkuan, will shortly be despatched to Szechuen to reinforce General Yang.

It is reported from Canton that General Hsu Chung-chih is preparing to lead his forces against Waichow. In the North River district the Northern troops have been forced to retire into Kiangsi.

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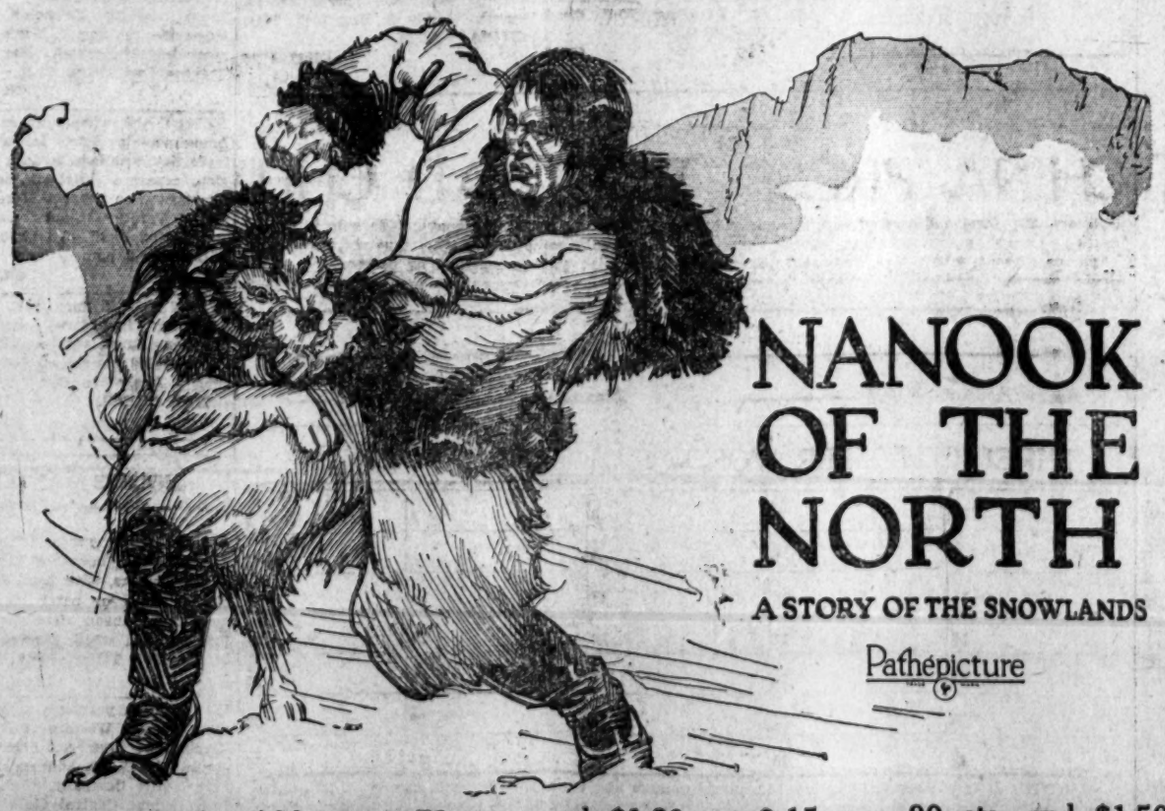
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BANDITS CAPTURE 40 IN FUNERAL PROCESSION

Six Killed, Captives Held For $250,000 Ransom

(China Press Correspondence)

Taianfu, July 16.—Information has reached Taianfu of a bandit outrage eighty li west of this city near Fecheng. A wealthy man living twelve li west of Fecheng died and his funeral was being attended by many prominent men from Fecheng. In order to protect the party a guard of ten soldiers had been sent with them. A large crowd was present and in the midst of the ceremony bandits, dressed in civilian clothing, suddenly drew revolvers which they had concealed in their clothing and began firing at the guard. In the melee that followed two soldiers and four civilians were killed.

The soldiers dropped their guns and fled. The bandits then took prisoners forty of the funeral party to be held for ransom. It is reported that the bandits are in the hills near Wenshang on the Yellow river and that they ...eral party to be held for ransom.

The local hsien official alleges that he is unable to cope with the bandits owing to the fact that after they make a raid they flee in to another county where he has no right to send troops. He maintains that he has appealed to the Tuchun at Tsinanfu for aid but that the latter says that the county officials must handle the situation.

Los Angeles Quake Does Little Damage

By United Press Special To THE CHINA PRESS

Los Angeles, July 24.—The earthquake which was felt throughout Southern California yesterday extended as far as Santa Barbara and San Diego and as far eastward as Arizona. Reports from all places within the shocked area today say that relatively little damage was done except to chimneys, windows and telephone and telegraph lines.

The actual shock was preceded by terrifying noises, however, and created panics in a number of cities where the disturbance was more severe.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, July 23.—The severest of the earthquake shocks on the Pacific Coast was felt at San Bernardino. The damage done was mostly material but two men were injured owing to the collapse of a roof. The street lights were extinguished, and telephone communication is interrupted. Authentic details are being awaited.

Peking Chamber Wants Police Paid

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 21.—The Chamber of Commerce and other public bodies in Peking have petitioned the Peking Municipality saying that the payment of the police and gendarmes has an important bearing upon peace and order in the Metropolis, so they request the Municipality to subscribe a portion of its receipts to meet the urgent demand of the police for payment.

The Municipality has not yet replied to this petition which shows the anxiety of the merchants in view of their being no Minister of Finance and apparently no scheme on foot for the necessary payments at the end of this month.

Germans Directing Efforts To Orient

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 24.—Following various evidences of efforts to exert German influence in "New Japan," as Afghanistan has been described, there comes the report that the German Government has nominated a Minister in Kabul, where a number of Germans are already working in different capacities, and more are on the way, including a medical mission of seven doctors. A remarkable amount of activity and thought is at present being directed to Oriental matters in Germany. The bookshops are filled with new works on the arts, customs and topography of nearly every Eastern country.

FIGHTING IN INDIA

(Reuter's Service)

Peshawar, July 23.—Further fighting is reported between the Nawab of Amb and the Nawab of Miangal. The former made a surprise attack killing 50 men and the latter retaliated and exacted ruthless punishment. War refugees are streaming into Peshawar.

British Mining Engineer Is Held By Yunnan Bandits

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 24.—A telegram from the Commissioner of Customs at Tengyueh, Yunnan, states that a British mining engineer, Mr. D'Arcy Weatherbe, has been captured by brigands at Kiuho between Kienchwangchow and Likiangfu.

Obituary

MR. CHARLES DUPUY

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, July 24.—The death is announced of the former Premier, M. Charles Dupuy.

Australia To Aid Olympic Athlete

(Reuter's Service)

Melbourne, July 23.—The Commonwealth is contributing £3,000 to the expenses of the Australian Olympic team conditionally on the management raising an additional £7,000.

FIGHTING IN SZECHUEN

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Ichang, July 23.—Steamers from Chungking report fighting there. General Chan Hsi-cheng, in command of a brigade of Kweichow troops, has revolted against General Yang Sen and is attacking the Northern position.

The Alice Dollar and the Loongmow have been fired on. The U. S. S. Monocacy, escorting Alice Dollar, came under heavy fire, which she returned, and she is said to have done considerable damage.

FIRES IN OIL FIELD

(Reuter's Service)

Rangoon, July 23.—It is reported from the Yenangyoumo oil-field, where a partial strike continues, that ten small fires have broken out recently. The Labor Union has appealed for the adoption of non-violent methods.

Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on July 24, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	,,	18-30
Pork	,,	30-40
Veal	,,	24-35
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	30-40
Cod	,,	15-20
Mandarin	,,	30-40
Mackerel	,,	20-25
Pomfret	,,	15-20
Salmon	,,	20-25
Samil	,,	none
Soles	,,	16-20
Whitebait	,,	20-25
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	,,	none
Partridge	,,	none
Pheasant	,,	none
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Plover	,,	none
Quail	,,	none
Snipe	,,	none
Teal	,,	none
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	,,	none
Duck	,,	60-90
Wild Pigeon	,,	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	10-12
Apples	,,	10-15
Banana	,,	8-10
Chestnuts	,,	none
Melons	each	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-20
Figs	per lb.	none
Grape fruit	each	20
Lemons	,,	9-10
Lichees	per lb.	20-25
Oranges	,,	$1.00-$1.20
Peaches	per lb.	15-20
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	,,	40-50
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	none
Pigeons	,,	15-20
Peeboes	,,	none
Plums	,,	10-14
Pumeloes	each	15-20
Pineapples	,,	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	,,	10-12
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	12-14
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	12-15
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Bread fruits	per lb.	
Cabbages	each	8-10
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Carrots	,,	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	5-6
French Beans	,,	10-12
Peas	,,	none
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Parsnips	,,	3-4
Onions	,,	2-3
Potatoes	per picul	$1.50-$2.00
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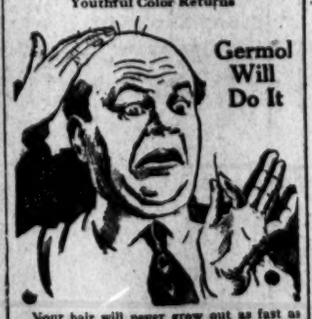

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NOTICE

MUNICIPAL LOAN OF 1923

8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each
(issued at Tls. 97 each)

Rate of interest 6% per annum

The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May 1923.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:

1°.—The Debenture Certificates are transferable, and the person whose name is entered in the Register of Debenture Certificate or Certificates. shall alone be recognised and treated by the Council as the lawful and rightful holder and owner of such Debenture Certificate or Certificates.

2°.—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 97 each.

3°.—The Debentures will be redeemable at par (Tls. 100 each) in not less than 10 years and not more than 30 years, from 1st December 1933 and according to the figures determinated by the Council.

4°.—The Debentures will bear interest at 6% per annum, payable on the 31st day of May and 30th day of November in each year, when interest warrants will be issued to the registered owners.

5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next.

A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council, Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By order,
P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.
T. F. 176

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Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
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Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold
A. E. SCHUMACHER
Manager

Information For Mariners

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 1923

(The night tides are higher than the day tides, they are about equal between 4 and 5 o' clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h, at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 8¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
10h. 5m.	5ft. 0in.	10h. 35m.	8ft. 1in.

High Water at Fusan (Broughton Bay)
(The night tides are higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5¼ h: approximate fall 7 h

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
8	43	9	17

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
4.33 p.m.	2.26 a.m.	5h. 13m.	6h. 58m.	4h. 28m.	7h. 43m.

Mean Barometric Pressure.
July 29.69 in.
754.3 mm.

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Manager.
36 Kiangse Road

Vessels Due

Africa Maru, *Seattle* .....July 28
Angkor, *Yokohama* .....Aug. 1
Benlawers, *London* .....July 26
Chikugo Maru, *Yokohama* .....July 27
Chungking, *Hankow* .....July 26
C. of Boston, *London* .....July 26
C. Transporter, *Vancouver* July 26
E. of Canada, *Hongkong* .....July 30
E. of Russia, *Vancouver* .....July 27
Fenglien, *Tientsin* .....July 25
Fukuken Maru, *Dairen* .....July 24
Hanyang, *Hongkong* .....July 26
Haean, *Foochow* .....July 25
Hunan, *Hankow* .....July 28
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo* .....July 25
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo* .....July 25
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo* .....July 26
Hsinfung, *Tientsin* .....July 27
Iyo Maru, *Seattle* .....July 27
Kanchow, *Hongkong* .....July 25
Kashima Maru, *Kobe* .....July 26
Kiangfoo, *Hankow* .....July 30
Kiangwha, *Hankow* .....July 31
Kaga Maru, *Hongkong* .....July 27
Kiangteen, *Hankow* .....July 27
Kungwo, *Hankow* .....July 29
Kutwo, *Hankow* .....July 25
Khiva, *Yokohama* .....Aug. 1
Kiangyu, *Hankow* .....July 28
Loongwo, *Hankow* .....July 26
Luenho, *Hankow* .....July 28
Luenyi, *Hankow* .....July 29
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki* July 26
Ngankin, *Hankow* .....Aug. 1
Nikko Maru, *Osaka* .....July 25
Niigata Maru, *Hankow* .....July 29
Pres. Jackson, *Seattle* .....July 30
Pyrrhus, *Liverpool* .....July 29
P. Hendry, *New York* .....July 28
Pres. Cleveland, *S. F'nisco* Aug. 1
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki* July 30
Shantung, *Hongkong* .....Aug. 1
Shuntien, *Tientsin* .....July 29
Soochow, *Hongkong* .....July 28
Soudan, *Bombay* .....July 28
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen* .....July 27
Suiwo, *Hankow* .....Aug. 1
Suiyang, *Hongkong* .....July 30
Szechuen, *Tsingtao* .....July 26
Tatung, *Hankow* .....July 25
Taisang, *Tsingtao* .....July 30
Tingsang, *Tientsin* .....July 27
Tungchow, *Tientsin* .....Aug. 1
Tungshing, *Hongkong* .....Aug. 1
Waishing, *Hongkong* .....July 29
Woosung, *Hankow* .....July 27
Wuchang, *Hankow* .....July 30
Yangtsze, *Liverpool* .....July 27
Yamashiro Maru, *Osaka* ..July 29
Yusang, *Hongkong* .....July 26

Steamers Departed

July 24—Kiangwah for Hankow
July 24—Tseangtah for Hankow
July 24—Suiwo for Hankow
July 24—Ngankin for Hankow
July 24—Suiyang M. for H'kow
July 24-P. Madison for Seattle
July 24—Yingchow for S. H. C.
July 24-City of Pekin for Europe
July 24—Kaho for Tientsin
July 24—Aso Maru for Japan
July 24—Kingsing for W.C.T.
July 24—Ningpo for Amoy
July 24-Stuart Dollar for U.S.A.
July 24-Virginia Dollar for U.S.A.
July 24—Shanghai M. for Japan
July 24—Sungshan M. for Amoy
July 24—Myriam for T'tsin
July 24-W. O'Rowa for Portland via Hongkong
July 24—Tungchow for W.C.T.
July 24—H. K'teen for Ningpo
July 24-Yungshin for Ningpo

At The Astor House

Arrivals at the Astor House Hotel are as follows:
Miss. C. Wilson.
Mr. J. C. P. d'Assupcao.
Misses J. & M. d'Assumpcao.
Mr. J. H. Joyner, Nanking.
Mr. & Mrs. H. Kounz, Germany.
Mr. C. Niebgold, Tientsin.
Mrs. T. Lattin, Hankow.
Mr. C. A. Saunders, Hankow.
Mr. N. T. Johnson.
Mrs. J. Johnson.
Mr. H. S. Wilson, Foochow.
Mr. A. E. Paradessis, Chefoo.
Mr. C. Sanders, Hongkong.
Mr. & Mrs. H. V. Hayes, Local.
Mr. A. H. Ginman, Peking.
Mr. J. Rosenfeld, Tientsin.
Mr. W. M. Jasper, Hongkong.
Mr. H. G. Stout, Hongkong.
Mrs. L. Hubbard, New York.
Mr. & Mrs. J. Hamman, Texas.
Messrs Jozil, George & Henry Hamman.
Mr. L. Lofting, Honan.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
K. and S. B.	H.$1,135
hartered	£20½ S.
sso-Asiatic	Nom
arine Insurance	
nton	H.$610 B.
orth China	Tls. 188
hion of Canton	H.$226½ B.
ngtsze	926½ B.
r Eastern Ins.	Tls. 19 B.
Fire Insurance	
ina Fire	H.$187
ongkong Fire	H.$470 B.
Shipping	
do-China Def.	H.$150
do-China Pref.	H.$87½ B.
hell"	75/6
anghai Tug ord.	Tls. 81 B.
hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 53 B.
Mining	
iping	Tls. 19¾ B.
ental Cons.	18/-
nb	$5½
Docks	
ongkong Dock	H.$151½
anghai Dock	Tls. 99 B.
w Eng. Works.	Tls. 8¾
Pref.	Tls. 5.20
Wharves	
anghai Wharf	Tls. 197 S.
ongkong Wharf	H.$162
nds and Hotels	$45 B.
hai Hotel, Ltd.	Tls. 50
ina Realty ord.	Tls. 50
ina Realty Pref.	Tls. 121 B.
-French Land	Tls. 121 B.
anghai Land	Tls. 53 S.
riton Ltd.	
Cotton Mills	
wo (ord.)	Tls. 12 B.
wo (pref.)	Tls. 109 B.
sou-kung-mow	Tls. 8 B.
riental	Tls. 6.10
anghai Cotton	Tls. 80 B.
Industrials	
utler Tiles	Tls. 25
ina Sugar	$222½ B.
reen Island	$30½
ngkats	Tls. 30½
ajor Bros.	Tls. 5
hai Sumatra	Tls. 87½ B.
Stores	
all and Holts	$6¾ B.
ewelyn	$42½
ne Crawford	$100 B.
outrie	$55 B.
atson	H.$20 B.
eeks	$15
Rubbers (local)	
una	Tls. 6½ B.
mherst	Tls. 0.52½ B.
glo-Java	Tls. 6½
glo-Dutch	Tls. 3.05 B.
yer Tawah	Tls. 22 B.
atu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.07½ B
ute	Tls. 0.70 B.
kit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.15 B.
emor United	Tls. 1.07½ I
empedak	Tls. 5¼ B.
eng	Tls. 1¾ B.
nsolidated	Tls. 2.85 B.
minion	Tls. 2.35 B.
ila Kalumpong	Tls. 10½ B.
va Consolidated	Tls. 13 B.
apayang	Tls. 11 B.
aran	Tls. 7 B.
dah	Tls. 1.22½ B.
oth Bahroe	Tls. 1.20 B.
oroewoek Java	Tls. 15 B.
dang	Tls. 5.95 B.
ngkaian Durian	Tls. 1¼ B.
rmata	Tls. 3.10 B.
pah	Tls. 0.92½ B
magagas	Tls. 0.87½ B
kees	Tls. 1.17½
mambu	Tls. 1.40 B.
nawang	Tls. 1.15 B.
hai Klebang	Tls. 0.65 B.
anghai Malay.	Tls. 4
	10 Old B.
	9 New B.
hai Malay pref.	
anghai Pahang	Tls. 1 B.
ngala	Tls. 1.35 B.
ngei Duri	Tls. 10 B.
a Manggis	Tls. 3¼ B.
hai Seremban	Tls. 0.77½ B.
iping	Tls. 0.67½ B
nah Merah	Tls. 0.82½ B
bong	Tls. 1.40 B.
ngbes	Tls. 3½ B.
Miscellaneous	
I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 825
ilty Dairy	Tls. 14
anghai Trams.	Tls. 152
anghai Gas	Tls. 38½ B.
orse Bazaar	Tls. 50
hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
hai Telephone	Tls. 72 S.
hai Waterworks	Tls. 177½ B.

Sellers. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers

Money Exchange

Shanghai, July 24, 1923

Mex. Dollars market rate 72.0625
Native Interest 03
Copper Cash 248.500
Bar Silver 31⅛
Shanghai Gold Bar 339½
Bank rate of Discount 3%
Paris on London 77.15
New York on London 459¾
London—
Telegraphic Transfer 3/0½
Demand 3/0⅝
New York—
Telegraphic Transfer 70
Demand 70¼

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Open quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.) 3/0½
London (Demand) .. 3/0⅝
London 4 m-s 3/0¾
India (T.T.) 226¼
France (T.T.) 1185
America (T.T.) 70
Hongkong (T.T.) 74½
Japan (T.T.) 70
Batavia (T.T.) 182
Straits (T.T.) 761

BANK'S BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits.. 3/1¾
London 4 m-s Docts .. 3/2
London 6 m-s Credits.. 3/2¼
London 6 m.s. Docts..
France 4 m-s 1235
America 4 m-s L/c 72½
Docs 73

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates

@ 70⅝ =Tls. 141.59
@ exch. 72.3=Mex. $195.84

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate

@ 3/1¼ =Tls. 6.44
@ exch. 72.3=Mex. $8.91

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR JULY

Hk. Tls. 5.78 @ 3/1¼ £1
Hk. Tls. 1.26 @ 71⅝ Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 1140½ Fr. 12.71
Hk. Tls. 1 @ — Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 68⅞ Yen 1.62
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 230¼ Rupees 2.56
Hk. Tls. 1 @ — Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 1.50 Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 15.40 Ital Lire 17.16

International Banking Corporation

CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America 69¾
Demand buying on America 70⅝
Demand selling on London 3/0⅝
Demand buying on London 3/1¼

CHINESE GOV. BONDS

(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Monday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	93.50	93.50
5th Year 6%	57.25	57.25
7th Year 6%	46.50	46.50
9th Year 6%	70.40	70.35
6% Consolidated	51.40	51.65
7% Consolidated	60.00	60.00
11th Year 8%	98.00	98.00
96 Millions 8%	26.20	26.10

ROUBLE EXCHANGE

BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roubles 330,000 .....Tls. 100
Roubles 100 .....Mex. $0.04

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Bank's Selling Rates

It. Lire 15.60=1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.33=1 Tael
Marks 140.000=1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations

It. Lire 104.85=1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 22.80=1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 135.60=100 Fr. Francs

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, July 24, 1923

OFFICIAL

Chemors Tls. 1.11, 1,10
Samagagas Tls. 0.90 Sept.
American Drug Co. $40.00
Telephones Tls. 71.50
Langkats Comb. Tls. 30.50 Sept.

UNOFFICIAL

Tanah Merah Tls. 0.85
Bukits Tls. 1.17½
Repahs Tls. 0.95 Sept.
Chemors Tls. 1.10
Trams (B.) Tls. 154.00
Pahangs Tls. 1.05

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Exchange Fluctuations

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July 24, 1923

Spot bar silver was up 3-16d. and forward ⅛d. in London yesterday. The New York price advanced to 63½ cents and the London-New York cross rate declined to 459½. Our official Sterling rate here this morning was raised to 3-0½, the Gold Dollar rate to 70, the Yen rate dropped to 70 and the other rates changed accordingly.

Our market here today was steady although speculators were buyers rather than sellers. Banks as a rule were better buyers for near delivery than for forward. A fair amount of business in Sterling was done at 3-0⅝ for this month's delivery but there were generally buyers rather than sellers at this rate.

There were, however, good sellers at 3-0 9-16 for July, 3-0½ for August and 3-0⅝ for September. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 70⅛ for near delivery and 70 for forward, advanced to 69½ cents and the

There were sellers throughout the day of Sterling at 3/0⅝ for July, 3/0½ for August and 3/0⅞ for September.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 70¼ for July, 70⅛ for August and 70 for forward delivery. There were sellers of Yen at 69½ for near and 69⅝ for forward.

Banks were quoting 3/1⅛ and 71¾ and Sterling and Gold Dollar bills. There were buyers of Franc bills at 1210.

India bought silver in London yesterday and the market is reported as closing steady. New York report their market as steady also.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, July 24, 1923

OFFICIAL

Telephones Tls. 72.00
Shanghai Docks Tls. 99.00
Shanghai Tugs (Ord.) Tls. 83.00
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.50
Chemors Tls. 1.10
Chempedak Tls. 5.50
Semambus Tls. 1.40
Sungei Duri Tls. 10.00
Ziangbes Tls. 5.60

UNOFFICIAL

H. & S. Banks $1,155.00
S. M. C. 7% Debs. 1919 Tls. 105.00
Oriental Cotton Tls. 5.05 Sept. Tls. 5.10 Sept.
Shanghai Tugs (Ord.) Tls. 84.50 Sept.
Consolidated Tls. 2.87½
Repah Tls. 0.95
Sungei Duri Tls. 10.00

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Rubber Outputs

	May	June
Alma	24,500	24,500
Anglo-Dutch	42,000	40,000
Anglo-Java	138,200	145,500
Ayer Tawah	—	—
Batu Anam	—	18,320
Bukit Toh Alang	22,181	18,955
Bute	12,100	13,100
Chempedak	12,500	13,500
Chemor United	20,200	24,883
Cheng	11,040	12,186
Consolidated	46,203	50,117
Dominion	32,799	28,624
Gula Kalumpong	81,000	92,000
Java Consolidated	53,500	48,900
Kapayang	12,602	13,810
Karan	7,542	7,024
Kota Bahroe	25,545	32,255
Kroewoek	46,000	48,000
Langkat	—	73,300
New Amherst	3,456	4,055
Padang	—	3,900
Permata	5,009	7,317
Repah	16,402	19,533
Samagagas	—	—
Semambu	—	16,828
Senawang	22,100	23,500
See Kee	10,647	12,655
Shanghai-Seremban	11,616	13,555
Shanghai Kedah	17,710	19,241
Shanghai Kelanan	12,500	16,700
Shanghai Malay	24,490	27,607
Shanghai-Pahang	12,851	13,577
Shanghai Klebang	10,200	10,605
Shanghai Sumatra	52,671	53,631
Sua Manggis	—	—
Sungala	—	—
Sungei Duri	20,015	20,682
Taiping	9,560	
Tebong	59,000	59,000
Tenah Merah	24,300	24,460
Ziangbe	39,800	38,500

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British Flower Shop Meeting

The excellent record of the British Flower Shop, Limited, prior to its voluntary liquidation was revealed by Mr. E. S. Wilkinson, Liquidator, at the final meeting of shareholders held at No. 2 Canton Road Monday. It was stated that the Company had donated $50,000 to War Funds during its inception.

LIQUIDATOR'S REPORT

Mr. Wilkinson's report was as follows:—The report and accounts have been in your hands for some time and, with your permission, I will follow the usual procedure and take them as read. I think you will find the statement of receipts and payments is quite clear, but if there are any questions, I will do my best to answer them.

You will remember that one of the conditions of sale was that the purchasing company should remain entirely British for a period of five years from the date of sale, under a penalty of $5,000 to be paid to the Liquidator or his nominee. In order to avoid the expense and inconvenience of keeping this liquidation open for five years, I have arranged with the proprietors of the present British Flower Shop to accept the firm of Messrs. G. H. and N. Thomson as my nominees for the purpose of this agreement. The purchasers have given an undertaking to produce an auditor's certificate concerning their capital every year for the next five years and, in the unlikely event of any of their capital having passed into non-British hands, the penalty called for would be paid to Messrs. G. H. and N. Thomson for distribution to charities.

MANY CONGRATULATIONS

In conclusion, I would like to take this opportunity of cogratulating the Directors and shareholders, and the Manageress of the late British Flower Shop, on the remarkable result which they achieved in distributing the large sum of $50,000 to charities out of the profits of a small Company with a capital of only $5,700. In the course of my duties as Liquidator, I have received many letters of grateful thanks from the Societies and Institutions which have benefitted by these distributions, and I think it is my duty to inform the shareholders officially how deeply the results of their enterprise have been appreciated.

Before asking you to pass the report and accounts, I will be glad to answer any questions which may occur to you.

ORDINARY RESOLUTION

That the Liquidator's report and accounts dated June 19, 1923, be adopted and passed.—Proposed by Mr. J. C. Bosustow and seconded by Mr. H. W. Lester.

EXTRAORDINARY RESOLUTION

That the books, accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof be handed to Messrs. G. H. and N. Thomson, Chartered Accountants, 2 Canton Road, to be disposed of by them in the usual manner.—Proposed by Mr. J. C. Bosustow and seconded by Mr. H. W. Lester.

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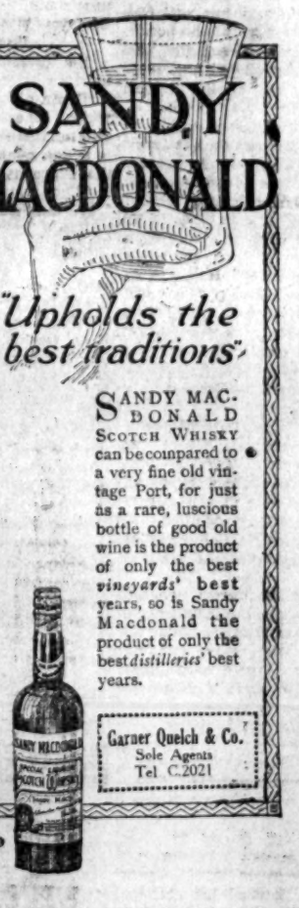

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Fine and hot weather, with thunderstorms in the Valley. Summer monsoon along our coasts. Variable winds North of Shantung. The Pacific ocean typhoon will approach Luzon W.N.W. winds or N.W. winds.

BIRTH

SPENCER: On July 22nd, 1923, at St. Mary's Maternity Home Rue Pere Robert, Shanghai, the wife of W. H. Spencer, of a daughter.

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DEATHS

CHARLES HERBERT, age one year beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnson, died at Victoria Nursing Home. July 23, 1923.

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WRIGHT—Suddenly on July 24th 1923. Rev. Harrison King Wright, in the 47th year of his age. Funeral at Bubbling Well Cemetery. today, July 25th, 1923 at 6:15 p.m.

Salvation From Within

WHAT Dr. Lemuel H. Murlin, president of Boston University, says in a letter recently received in America from Europe regarding the United States being unable to do very much to "save Europe," is worthy of considerable study. Dr. Murlin's contention is based on the premise that salvation, for nations as for individuals, must come from within, and he declares that there are today thousands of Americans in Europe, while other thousands are on their way thither, nearly all of whom are boldly announcing that their purpose is "to study" something or other "at first hand." This on the surface seems harmless enough, but when it comes to their announcing the results of their research before they have been in Europe forty-eight hours, which, it appears, is quite often the case, it is a different matter altogether.

This is not saying in the least that America should not, in the opinion of many, do more than it is doing toward helping Europe reach a more stable condition, for there is practically no doubt that it has it in its power to do much along this line. But it does include a plea against misguided charity, of which there is far too much in evidence today. Charity worthy of the name does not rob those whom it helps of their initiative, nor does it attempt to regulate affairs with which it has no business to interfere. Rather, it unfolds a "way" of salvation, using this term in a broad sense. It affords a means of self-help. It enables the recipient to aid himself. And as such only is it worthy of full and unqualified commendation.

Well-meaning as doubtless he was, it is not hard to see, therefore, how ridiculous it is when one United States Senator, as exampled by Dr. Murlin, arrives in Europe on the 28th of the month, and on the 29th announces that Sovietism is a great system, and that, in his view, the United States should recognise Soviet Russia. While not excusing the dilatoriness which has been largely responsible for America's apparent lethargy in relation to the crying needs of Europe, it is at least admissible to plead for a rational plan of intervention. As Dr. Murlin urged, salvation must come from within. If this fact is appreciated in its proper relationship to internationalism and charity, there will be fewed ill-advised opinions expressed and more practical Christianity manifested.

Dr. V. K. Wellington Koo probably has his reasons for becoming Minister of Foreign Affairs but in view of the general conditions our hunch is that he's koo-koo.

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Scientists have discovered that there are 16 uses for an electric fan. We'll not bother about the other 15 today thank you!

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And what sort of a grammarian is the Weather Man when he brazenly predicts it's going to be "fine and hot."

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"A political revolution is on the horizon in the United States."—Senator Borah of Idaho.

"German economic reconstruction is being made at the expense of the Allies."—M. Poincare.

"Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their country."—Dr. Wellington Koo.

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And now that ex-President Li is going to join the 300 and more parliamentarians already here we'll have something else to talk about besides the weather.

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Ballade Of Two Ladies.

Ah, Circe, in your golden isle
Above the golden Grecian sea,
I learned the marvel of your smile,
Your beauty broke the heart of me.
Sweet were your eyes with mystery
And your white body sweet to kiss.
Alas, that we must parted be!...
(I wonder where Calypso is.)

Enchantress! Though the world revile
Your acts, your arts, your perfidy,
Could I condemn or blame you while
Your beauty broke the heart of me?
Fair hair and blown that wantonly
The sea-wind's finger twined in his,
Far from the good Penelope.....
I wonder where Calypso is.)

Your love has mile on weary mile
Beguiled my toil with witchery,
Your songs my day-dreams yet beguile,
Your beauty broke the heart of me.
No more forever, now, shall we,
We two, regain those hours of bliss,
In life nor all eternity! . . .
(I wonder where Calypso is.)

L'ENVOI.

When age her weird of years shall dree,
Remember, oh, remember this:
Your beauty broke the heart of me. . . .
(I wonder where Calypso is.)

—*The King of the Black Isles*

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A movie called "Kindred of The Dust" is coming to town and while we haven't any advance dope we assume it's all about us males of the species.

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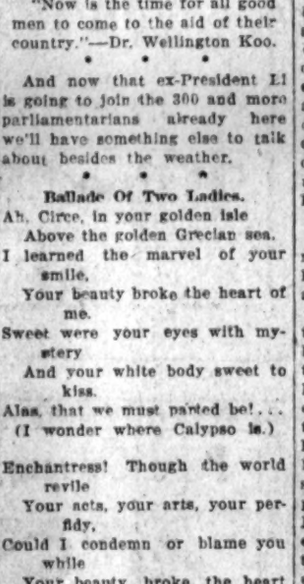
IMA HOOT NANNY



"As a general rule telephone girls get more ear rings than diamond ones."

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Yes, Little Garlic-san, our idea of the end of a dirty day is to take a header into the Hongkew swimming pool with the proletariat.

Harry

Mussolini Says His Aim Is An Italy Like The U.S.

BY THEODORE PRINCE

While the battle of the Piave raged one of the generals, knowing that Mussolini was a trained journalist, asked him to go behind the lines and write the stirring story of the battle.

"Sir," he said, saluting sharply, "I came to fight." And he continued fighting, while some one else wrote the story.

This incident affords the key to the character of Mussolini. An insight into the methods by which he has raised himself from an obscure and poverty stricken translator at ten cents a day into the position of dictator of all Italy, wielding a power as absolute and unquestioned as that of Napoleon. His cardinal principle is to do one job at a time, and do it well. He is not to be sidetracked by non-essentials, however attractive, nor to be diverted from the main job until finished.

Mussolini has one ability that outshines all others, he gets things done. In Italy he is called the professor of energy. He has speeded up the functioning of one of the oldest, most tradition bound bureaucracies in the world, lopped off enough dead wood to run a dozen governments, oiled up the springs and made the whole run with three times the efficiency it ever had before.

Nor does he spare himself. Rising at 6 o'clock he takes a horseback ride and then works at top speed for fourteen hours every day. In addition to his office of Premier he has combined in himself the duties of several other important posts, cutting down the inevitable waste of diversified departments and coordinating the functions of each under one responsible head.

He Accepts Responsibilities, Also Places Them On Others

Mussolini does not dodge responsibility, and he has taught his co-workers to assume the same attitude.

Every one moves more quickly, talks in snappier fashion than before; all seem to have imbibed the spirit of their chief. He himself has time for everything, energy enough for everything; they are forever busy trying to keep up with him. The two legislative bodies, Chamber and senate, gave over to him full powers, but he was not satisfied. By his dynamic example he prodded them into new activity, and today they function with greater celerity than any similar bodies in the world.

His rule is absolute, yet even his bitterest enemies do not tremble for their freedom. As a ruler his sole him is the advancement of Italy along sane economic lines.

Heading the Fascisti army he accomplished the most remarkable revolution in history, grasping the reins of the Government without firing a shot. "Fascisti" means "the bunch," and when Mussolini said, "On to Rome" the "bunch" was with him, and waited, 300,000 strong, outside the gates until he was firmly settled into power.

When were the Fascisti formed? It followed the defeat at Caporetta. This defeat was largely due to Socialist propaganda behind the lines, and the failure of promised Allied supplies to arrive. Promised Allied supplies seldom ever arrived, the Italians tell us.

The Caporetta defeat aroused Italy and brought out new classes of brave young soldiers from 16 to 18 years, who swore undying loyalty. On the Piave they vindicated themselves, then turned to the nagging, whining propagandists behind the lines.

"Why waste your youth in a lost cause?" these subtle German agents had kept repeating. "Why die for Italy when Italy will surely lose?"

Mussolini had fought in the trenches shoulder to shoulder with the younger men. Under the fire of battle the shifting quicksilver theories of Socialism were burned from his soul, and in their place a high sense of the value of law and order and individual rights was crystalised. With them he felt the sting of these slurs on the army and on themselves.

Early Fascisti Destroy Socialist Newspaper Office

"Follow me!" he cried, and armed with clubs he and seven young followers raided the hotbed of local propaganda, a Socialist newspaper office, wrecked presses, papers, inks and type, and finally bundled the whole unceremoniously out into the street. There in the starlight, as the mounting flames of the bonfire licked eagerly at the long rolls of paper they organised the Fascisti—"bound together until death."

The movement spread like wildfire. Communism became suddenly very unpopular in Italy. The young men who had bled and fought on the Piave came into their own.

Just then, it may be recalled, the Socialists turned out the owners of the industrial plants and assumed control. Becoming powerful and well organised, with Mussolini at their head, the Fascisti lost no time in reversing this order of affairs. Northern Italy passed completely into their hands, and armed with rifles, knives and shot guns, 100,000 of them began the march on Rome.

The current Italian Ministry decared martial law and prepared to resist their advance—civil war seemed unavoidable. But the King refused to order mobilisation, and would not sign the order for martial law. "I will have no more fighting in my country," he said. "We have had enough bloodshed. Open the gates and let them come."

But they did not come. The army stood in its tracks for three days while Mussolini came, came at the request of the King to form his own ministry and assume the premiership. That was October, 1922. Today he has so cemented himself into the leadership that he enjoys the utter confidence of the King, the army, the legislators and the people. It seems now almost impossible to imagine an Italy without Mussolini.

It is extremely difficult to hold a conference with Mussolini. His fourteen hours a day are taken up completely with the work of his Government, and he finds little time for things outside the line of duty. Whatever potential difficulties, time among them, lay before me were smoothed out by that most able and charming representative, Ambassador Child, and was ushered into the presence of Mussolini.

He stood in his office, tall, alert, strong. He wore a military cloak, thick boots and spurs; his head was drawn back and his powerful jaw thrust forward. His greeting was cordial but business like, and he immediately seated himself behind his desk. Each movement showed snap and precision.

Declares Himself Pleased With America's Opinion

His piercing eyes fastened on me.

"I am pleased with the opinion which America has of me," he said in friendly fashion. "America is a fine country. And Boston is the Florence of America."

"Then you know Boston?"

He laughed.

"No. I have only heard."

I got at once to business.

"What is your policy for Italy now that you have obtained complete power?"

"Work and discipline. All men must work, and discipline alone makes work effective. Italy can only obtain its proper place in the world by following these principles. It takes a strong man to carry them out, but this is an age for strong men."

"What was your most important objective when you gained control of the Government?"

"The first was to install order and discipline. The second was to balance our budget and maintain confidence in our financial system. There is no question about the first. So far as balancing our budget is concerned however, I can say that the deficit has been cut to less than half, or around four billion lira in six months. At one time during the war it was over 20,000,000,000 lira. We expect within a few years to wipe out this deficit, for we have abolished red tape and all unnecessary bureaus. I myself have taken over several important posts."

How true this is may be shown in what Mussolini did to the railroads. Before the Fascisti coup the state railroads of Italy formed a friendly, protecting wing under which any good little adherent of the ruling powers not otherwise employed could be sure of food and a salary at the expense of the Government. It used to be no little problem for the authorities to discover things for these men to do, and the number of whistle blowers and assistant whistle blowers who helped start an Italian train grew finally to represent almost a diminutive orchestra. Mussolini took one look at these conditions and then lopped forty thousand men from the payroll of the state railroads. The service has been improving ever since.

Other Government departments have been treated in a similar fashion. The old, antiquated methods have gone by the board.

"The trouble with Italy," continued Mussolini, "is that she is far too dependent commercially upon other nations. This must be changed. She is no longer to be considered a beggar nation, she has talents which shall make her commercially independent.

"Italians are fine workmen and therefore it is our purpose to import semi-finished materials which will enable the finesse of the Italian workmen to make their labor a paying proposition. Italian labor is not high, relatively speaking, and as we plan to cut down imports from Germany we must make Italian production so cheap and so superior that exports will increase and we will become a competitor of Germany."

"Would you care to express that commercial policy in a more concrete form?"

Says Italy's Policy Is 'Nothing For Nothing'

"Gladly! Italy will adopt a policy of 'niente per niente,' which means 'nothing for nothing.' We are going to follow the same policy as other nations. This does not mean that reciprocal rights will not be considered, but that we want a 'quid pro quo'—for what we give; a policy of give and take with the world."

"One hundred years ago," he continued, "Italy had about 20,000,000 inhabitants. Today there are 48,000,000 Italians, of which close to 7,000,000 are in the United States. It is my belief that the more educated an Italian

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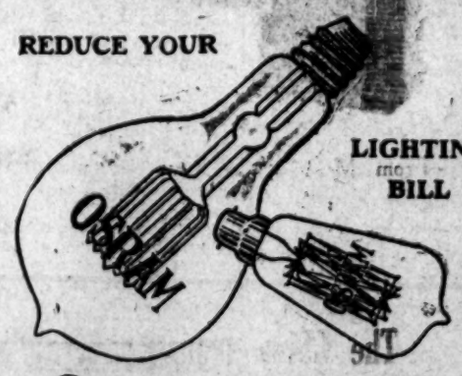

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By George McManus

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MY - WHAT VULGAR CARS.
THANK GOODNESS THAT HORRID STUFF IS NOT BEING BROUGHT IN TOWN.
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GRACIOUS - I NEVER SAW SO MANY CAR LOADS!
I CAN'T BELIEVE THERE ARE ENOUGH COMMON PEOPLE TO EAT THAT MUCH -
STIFF'S CORNED BEEF 87 I.O.U R.R
ISN'T THAT YOUR HUSBAND?
STIFF'S CORNED BEEF 321
GEO MCMANUS 5-21

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citizen becomes the better citizen he will be for the United States."

"Then you do not think that the present United States immigration laws are unfair?"

"I have no right to dictate to America what she should do. But, since you ask me, I think that it is quite proper for the United States to choose her immigrants and insist that they are as desirable as she chooses to make them. I do not, however, think she ought entirely to debar them."

"Do you object to your citizens leaving Italy and going to America?"

He laughed.

"Why should I? Do you think I would wish to keep people here who do not wish to stay here? If they do not want to stay let them go. I have no objection."

The question of capital and labor, on which he has been so widely quoted, then came up.

"Capital is necessary for labor, and labor is necessary for capital," he said. "Both are necessary for each other. I think labor has the right to organise and bargain for its wages through unions, and I believe in an eight hour day."

Not long ago he added in a speech, "I have worked with my arms. I tell you this to show that I can never be the enemy of any one who works.

"Nevertheless I am the enemy of those who in the name of false and grotesque theories wish to mystify and lead the workers to ruin.

"The workers thought they could remain outside the national life. It was a great blunder. They must be flesh of the flesh and soul of the soul of the nation."

Preaches His Doctrine Of Peace And Work

Thus he preaches his program of peace and work, of co-operation between capital and labor for the nation's good. And but a few brief years back he sat at a dingy editorial desk and gave voice to impractical socialistic dreams! The regeneration of such men as Mussolini is one of the great achievements of the war.

But the change was even more marked in his next answer.

"Then you believe unhesitatingly in the advantages of private ownership over government operation?"

"I do not believe that a government should run any more business than it has to. Any enterprise which can be run by private capital should have full and unqualified support."

On other occasions he has emphasised his belief that Governments wishing to uplift their people after war must give free play to private enterprise and forego any measure of state control or state paternalism. "One of the greatest historical experiences which has unfolded itself under our eyes clearly demonstrated that all systems of associate economy which avoid free initiative and individual impulse fail more or less pitifully within a short lapse of time," he told the International Chamber of Commerce.

The Italian income tax is heavier than that of America, and its other taxes are in proportion. The inheritance tax taxes no less than 90 percent of an indirect bequest or devise. In view of the heavy burdens thus laid on capital this healthy attitude toward private enterprise sounds rather extraordinary. It is also extraordinary in view of the present attitude in the United States, which seems to feel strongly against private enterprise, especially as operators of our national railroads.

"But in this Government of yours there is such centralised power. In what sense can it be called democratic?"

He looked at me sharply. It is well known that he has little patience with the rule of large unwieldly majorities. Like Napoleon, he believes that leadership is best left in the hands of a few powerful men.

"Whatever power this Government has is given by the legally elected representatives of the people. The legislature is open. No one has closed or disbanded it, or attempted to close or disband it. The people are entirely free to wield their power whenever they see fit.

Considers All Policies From Business Viewpoint

"But a strong businesslike administration today needs a strong man. I am doing the best for Italy by considering everything from a sound businesslike standpoint."

"But what kind of foreign policy do you advocate? Do you believe in a chauvanistic or international policy for Italy?"

He answered with considerable force.

"I do not believe that a chauvanistic policy is workable. On the other hand I do not believe in a strictly international policy. While Italy must naturally come first, the world must be considered. I favor a nationalistic rather than a national policy. I think that Italy can do the best for the world by taking the position to which she is entitled."

"How then does this affect your present policy? Do you side with France in her occupation of the Ruhr?"

His dark eyes flashed suddenly at me; strong words seemed ready to tumble from his lips. The air grew tense; then, quite suddenly the tension vanished.

"I have no opinion," he said gruffly.

"But at least you will answer this—do you believe that the peace of the world awaits the settlement of the reparations tangle?"

"The peace of the world? But there are other things—the question of Turkey and Greece, of oil and the Near East. These too must be settled. I have every confidence that both these and the reparations questions shall finally be settled amicably."

"Then you do not fear Bolshevism?"

He laughed, somewhat grimly.

"My opinions on Bolshevism are well known."

They are, in Italy. Italy has not proved a healthy spot for Bolshevists, poor and war weary though she was. The younger generation have, strangely enough, produced in the Fascisti the greatest bulwark against Bolshevism in all Europe. Their answer to Communist arguments and subtle propaganda is a club, and it has proved effective.

"As an advocate of a rather international viewpoint you doubtless feel that a confederation of European states will tend to eliminate wars upon the continent?"

But he was not enthusiastic on this idea.

"A confederation of European states would find problems that do not face your United States in America. Here all the nations are different, speak different languages, have different national aims and different forms of commerce. A united Europe has been tried four times," he said "and has not yet been successful. It was tried first by Rome, second by Charlemagne, thirdly by Charles V."—he paused a moment—"and finally by Napoleon.

It was growing late. I arose.

"Before I leave, have you a message you would like to give to America?"

He stood thoughtfully a moment, then smiled gravely.

Wishes Italy To Model After The United States

"Yes," he said, "tell America that I like her; like her because she is strong, simple and direct. I wish Italy to be like that and I shall try to make her so."

Returning to the hotel, his words rang in my ears. "Strong, simple, direct." He was like that himself.

The world loves heroes. It found a worthy hero of the war in Foch. Reconstruction demands another type.

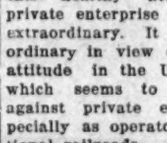
Today from Italy, the least important of the great nations, shines the clear flashing beam of a new power; Italy has in a trice been spiritually remade under the hand of Mussolini. May he then be the next world figure? So far the flashes of his tremendous personality have illumined only Italy. Perhaps they may yet shed the needed light of sanity and peace into the confused corners of Europe's larger but less wise nations.

NEW GEMS by O. HENRY

A Treasure-Trove of Humor From His Newly Discovered Newspaper Writings

A SLIGHT MISTAKE

A ordinary looking man wearing a last season's negligee shirt stepped into the business office and unrolled a strip of manuscript some three feet long.



"I wanted to see you about this little thing I want to put in the paper. There are fifteen verses besides the other reading matter. The verses are on spring. My handwriting is a trifle illegible and I may have to read it over to you. This is the way it runs:

SPRING

'The air is full of gentle zephyrs,
Grass is growing green:
Winter now has surely left us,
Spring has come, I ween.

'When the sun has set, the vapors
Rise from out the meadows low;
When the stars are lit like tapers
Then the night winds chilly blow.'"

"Take that stuff up to the editorial department," said the business manager shortly.

"I have been up there already," said the ordinary looking man, "and they sent me down here. This will fill about a column. I want to talk with you about the price. The last verse runs this way:

Then it is that weakening langours
Thicken in our veins the blood
And we must ward off these dangers
Ere we find our names are "Mud"!

"The reading matter that follows is, as you see, type written, and easily read. Now, I—"

"D-n it," said the business manager, "Don't you come in here reading your old spring poems to me. I've been bored already today with a lot of ink and paper drummers. Why don't you go to work instead of fooling away your time on rot like that?"

"I didn't mean to bother you," said the other man, rolling up his manuscript, "Is there another paper in the city?"

"Yes, there's a few. Have you got a family?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then why in thunder don't you get into some decent business, instead of going around writing confounded trash and reading it to busy people? Ain't you got any manhood about you?"

"Excuse me for troubling you," said the ordinary looking man, as he walked toward the door. "I tell you how it is. I cleared over $80,000 last year on these little things I write. I am placing my spring and summer ads for the Sarsaparilla firm of which I am a member. I had decided to place about $1,000 in advertising in this town. I will see the other papers you spoke of. Good morning!"

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, July 30, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, July 31, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

For Southern Ports

HONGKONG via MANILA.—The S.S. TENYO MARU, 22,000 tons, Captain K. Okazaki, will be despatched on Wednesday, July 25. Tender conveying passengers and mails will leave Customs jetty at 2.00 p.m. For passage apply to TOYO KISEN KAISHA, No. 71 Szechuen Road, Shanghai. Tel. No. 3229-3230.

WENCHOW.—The C.M.S.N. Co.'s Str. FEICHING, will leave on Wednesday, July 25. For Foreign or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

NINGPO.—The steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Thursday, July 26 at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

FOOCHOW, KEELUNG AND TAKAO.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Passenger Steamer FUKUKEN MARU, 5,000 tons, Capt. T. Nanbu, will be despatched from O.S.K. Yangtszepoo Wharf on July 26 at ——. For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4234.

NINGPO & POOTOO.—The Str. HSIN KIANGTEEN, Capt. Randbye, will leave on Saturday, July 28, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

For Northern Ports

CHINWANGTAO DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration steamer KAIPING, Captain R. Macfarlane, will be despatched on July 25. Tender for passengers and luggage will leave Customs Jetty at 10 a.m. on the 25th inst. This steamer is fitted with WIRELESS, has extra State-rooms with steam heaters, electric light and fans, also smoking room and spacious promenade deck. Excellent table provided. For Freight and Passage, apply to the Agent, 32 Jinkee Road. Phone Central 317.

TSINGTAO, TIENTSIN AND DAIREN.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Passenger Steamer KOHOKU MARU, 5,000 tons, Captain M. Miyata, will be despatched from O.S.K. Wharf on July 25, at ——. For Freight or Passage apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4234.

TIENTSIN DIRECT.—The Str. HSINCHANG Capt. Newburgh, will leave on Wednesday morning, July 25. For Freight or passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

NEWCHWANG DIRECT.—The Str. TOONAN, Capt. Nielson will leave on Thursday morning, July 26. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HAKODATE: The s.s. TUNGUS will be despatched for the above port on or about August 2. For Freight and/or Passage apply to S. HEIMANN & Co., 19A Canton Road. Tel. No. C. 1604.

For Foreign Ports

VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA & VANCOUVER via DAIREN & JAPANESE PORTS.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Passenger Str. MANILA MARU, 20,000 tons, Capt. J. Somekawa, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Wharf on July 25, at —— For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4234.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO
Shinyo Maru .....June 21
President Pierce .....June 23
Siberia Maru .....July 3
President Wilson .....July 5
Taiyo Maru .....July 19
President Lincoln ....July 21
FOR VANCOUVER
Empress of Australia ..July 2
Empress of Asia .....July 14
Stuart Dollar .....July 24
FOR SEATTLE
President Jackson ....June 23
Ibukisan Maru .....June 23
City of Spokane .....June 28
President Jefferson ...June 30
Pomona .....July 3
Arabia Maru .....July 7
President Grant .....July 12
Arizona Maru .....July 16
West Kader .....July 16
President Madison ....July 24
FOR PORTLAND, ORE.
West Jena .....June 21
West Cayote .....July 4
West O'Rowa .....July 24
FOR NEW YORK
Shunko Maru .....June 23
Wray Castle .....July 7
Telemachus .....July 10
Genoa Maru .....July 12
Hamburg Maru .....July 16
Langton Hall .....July 20
Gothic Prince .....July 21
Independence .....July 22
Virginia Dollar .....July 24
FOR UNITED KINGDOM
Teiresias .....June 21
Delta .....June 23
Gaelic Prince .....June 24
Machaon .....June 27
Cyclops .....June 27
City of Corinth .....June 27
Diomed .....June 30
Glenapp .....July
Rhesus .....July 4
Malwa .....July 7
Katori Maru .....July 7
Troilus .....July 11
Ningchow .....July 13
Atsuta Maru .....July 14
Glentara .....July 17
Helenus .....July 18
Devanha .....July 21
FOR HAMBURG
Preussen .....June 30
Tsuruga Maru .....July 7
Alps Maru .....July 10
Schlesien .....July 10
City of Manchester ...July 19
FOR COPENHAGEN
Malaya .....July 1
Panama .....July 12
FOR ROTTERDAM
Oldekerk .....July 14
FOR GOTHENBURG
Nippon .....July 6
FOR MARSEILLES
Angers .....June 22
Chili .....July 6
Porthos .....July 20
FOR TRIESTE
Fiume L. .....June 29
FOR INDIA
Kutsang .....June 25
Sicilia .....June 26
Nagpore .....July 14
Torilla .....July 21

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping, for Chinwangtao will leave the Customs Jetty at 10 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the T.K.K. s.s. Tenyo Maru, for Hongkong and Manila will leave the Customs Jetty at 3 p.m.

Friday, July 27, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia, for Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 10:30 p.m.

Saturday, July 28, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia, for Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 8 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and mail on board the N.Y.K. s.s. Kashima Maru, for Europe will leave the Customs Jetty at 8 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and mail on board the N.Y.K. s.s. Kaga Maru, for Seattle via Japan ports will leave the Customs Jetty at 8 a.m.

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu will leave Hankow today and is Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Hunan will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Kungwo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Kanchow left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Hacan left Foochow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Hanyang left Hongkong on Monday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow left Hongkong yesterday and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai next Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong will leave Amoy for Foochow next Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing is due to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai on Friday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Tungwah left Tientsin for Haichow on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei today.

The I-C. s.s. Loksang left Newchwang for Dairen and Canton on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Cheongshing will leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei, Hongkong and Canton today.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Tsingtao, yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

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The I-C. s.s. Taisang is due in Shanghai from Tsingtao next Monday.

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The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai today.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Yangtsze left Singapore on Monday afternoon, July 16, and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Hongkong next Friday.

The P. & O. s.s. Macedonia, from London on June 22, was expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Sunday.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor will sail from the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf for Marseilles via ports at 3 p.m. August 3, and passengers may embark at the wharf after 1 o'clock that afternoon.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kashima Maru will leave Shanghai for London via ports next Saturday, and the tender with outgoing passengers for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 8 a.m.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Autolycus left Hankow for Manila on Sunday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Pyrrhus left Singapore on Saturday, July 21, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on July 29.

The M.M. s.s. Chambord, which arrived in Shanghai from Marseilles Sunday evening and docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf, will sail for Kobe and Yokohama at 7 o'clock this morning.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jessup is due in Shanghai from Portland on August 4, and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila August 6.

The Dollar s.s. M. S. Dollar left Singapore for New York on July 9.

The Dollar s.s. Esther Dollar left New York for San Francisco on Thursday, July 12.

The Dollar s.s. Stanley Dollar is due to leave New York for the Orient on August 8.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson, from Seattle on July 13, should arrive at Yokohama today and is expected in Shanghai on July 30.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson is due to leave Seattle today and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on August 11.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce is due to leave San Francisco tomorrow and is expected arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on August 15.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia is due to leave Vancouver tomorrow and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on August 12.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kaga Maru will leave Shanghai for Seattle via Japan ports next Saturday, and the tender with outgoing passengers for the vessel will leave the Customs jetty at 8 a.m.

The T.K.K. s.s. Tenyo Maru arrived at Woosung from San Francisco, Honolulu and Japan ports at midnight last night, and is sailing for Hongkong this evening. The tender with incoming passengers is expected to reach the Customs jetty about 9:30 o'clock this morning, and the outgoing tender with passengers and baggage will leave at 3 p.m.

The C.G.M.M. s.s. Canadian Transporter, from Vancouvr, left Kobe on Monday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The S. & B. s.s. West Chopaka is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on August 6, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila the following day.

The S. & B. s.s. West Carmona is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on August 13, and will sail for Hongkong, Manila and Singapore the following day.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison left Shanghai yesterday morning and is due to arrive in Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on August 9.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland, from San Francisco on July 12, should dock at Yokohama from Honolulu next Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Kboe on August 1.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia will arrive at Woosung from Vancouver and Japan ports at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon and is sailing for Hongkong at 10 a.m. Saturday. The tender with incoming passengers from the steamer is expected at the Customs jetty about 3:30 p.m. Friday, and the tenders with outgoing passengers for Woosung will leave at 10:30 p.m. Friday and 8 a.m. Saturday.

Meteorological Reports

July 25, 1923.
Sun rises today at 5.11
Sun sets today at 1.91

	SICCAWEI July 20.		July 21.	
(inches	29.78	29.82	29.79	29.80
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	†0.05	†0.03	†0.01	–0.02
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	0.00	0.00	†0.01	–0.02
Wind—direction	S	S	S	SSW
Wind—miles per hour	9.9	11.8	8.7	14.3
Temperature (Fahr.)	77°4	74°7	74°5	84°0
Humidity %	96	93	96	72
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	10	3	3	2
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	0.05	0.20	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIGDED REPORT July 20.	Mean 1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	29.80	†0.05	29.70
Temperature (Min. 73°4) (Fahr.) (Max. 83°2)	78°3	–4°9	81°4
Rainfall (inches)	32.02	0.81	28.96

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Nagasaki Maru .....Aug. 3

FOR VICTORIA, SEATTLE AND VANCOUVER
Yokohama Maru ....July 31

FOR SOUTH AMERICA Via Durban, and Cape Town From Kobe.

FOR EUROPE
Kashima Maru .....July 28
*Mito Maru .....Aug. 2
*Tokushima Maru ....Aug. 4
Hakone Maru .....Aug. 11

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Aki Maru .....Aug 15

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	KHIVA	Aug. 4
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Calcutta—from Hongkong via Singapore and Penang.	TORILLA	July 25
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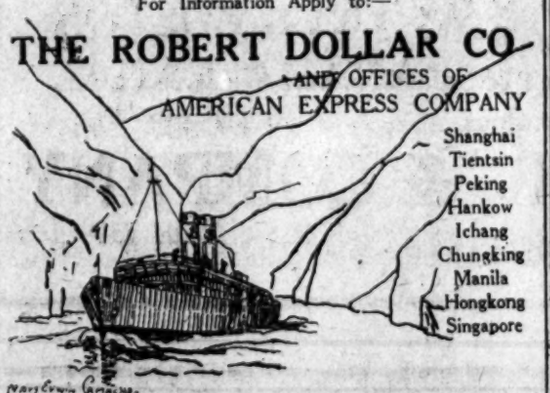

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July 25	—	Seattle	Manila Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
July 25	—	New York	Egremont Cast	Br. Dod. & Co.
July 28	—	Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 30	—	Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. B. & S.
July 31	—	Seattle	Yokohama M	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 31	—	Vancouver	C. Transporter	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Aug. 4	—	San Francisco	†P. Taft	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 5	—	Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 6	—	Portland	West Jessup	Am. Lumber Co.
Aug. 9	—	New York via Suez	Teltsobua	Br
Aug. 10	—	New York	Eelbeck	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 10	—	New York	Delagoa Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 11	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 12	—	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 15	—	Vancouver	Harold Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Aug. 15	—	New York	Alaska Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 17	—	Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 18	—	San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 21	—	Seattle	Africa Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 24	—	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 25	—	Vancouver	C. Highlander	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 27	—	Vancouver	†E.of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 29	—	Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 30	—	New York via Suez	Pyrrhus	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 1	—	San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Sep. 3	—	New York	Wm. Penn	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 7	—	San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 8	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Sept. 10	—	Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 15	—	San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Sep. 18	—	San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 20	—	Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 29	—	San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 20	—	Vancouver	C. Skirmisher	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 22	—	Seattle	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line

FOR JAPAN PORTS

July 25	7.00	Kobe, Yokohama	Chambord	Fr. M.M. Cie
July 25	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 27	—	Nagasaki	Nagasaki M	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 28	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 30	—	Nagoya, Yokohama	Chikugo M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 31	—	Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 1	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro Ma	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

July 25	9.00*	Calcutta	Hosang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 26	—	Hamburg, etc.	Emil Kirdorf	Ger. H. S. Line
July 27	—	Liverpool	Peleus	Br. B. & S.
July 28	—	London	Kashima Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 1	—	Bombay	Soudan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 1	—	Hamburg, etc.	Tokushima M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 1	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Sarpendon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 3	3.00	Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Aug. 3	—	Marseilles	Mito Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 4	—	Hamburg	Glenliffer	Br. G.L.E.A.
Aug. 4	—	Marseilles, etc.	Tokushima M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 4	—	London	†Khiva	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 4	—	Marseilles, etc.	Mito Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 6	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Saleier	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Aug. 8	—	Hamburg, etc.	Rhexenor	Br.
Aug. 10	—	Hamburg	Carnarvonshire	Br. G.L.E.A.
Aug. 10	—	Liverpool, etc.	Titan	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 11	—	London	Hakone M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 12	—	Hamburg	Scheer	Ger. H.S. Line
Aug. 14	—	Singapore	W. Carmona	Am. S. & B.
Aug. 15	—	Hamburg, etc.	Laomedon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 17	—	Marseilles	†Chambord	Fr M. M. Cie
Aug. 18	—	London	†Kashmir	Br. M. M. Co.
Aug. 27	—	Liverpol, etc.	Agamemnon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 30	—	London, etc.	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 31	—	Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie
Sep. 4	—	London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 5	—	Hamburg, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 5	—	Antwerp, etc.	Menter	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 6	—	Rotterdam	Saparoea	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Sep. 12	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Agapenor	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 14	—	Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr. M.M. Cie
Sep. 15	—	Liverpool	Kt. Templar	Br. B. & S
Sep. 18	—	London	Dongola	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 28	—	Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 12	—	Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 31	—	London	Teiresias	Br. B.& S.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Aug. 4	—	Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co
Aug. 15	—	Melbourne	†Ark Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sept. 1	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 6	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

July 25	4.45	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S
July 25	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi. N. S. S. N.
July 25	—	Wenchow	Feiching	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
July 25	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kwongsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 25	—	Hongkong, Manila	West O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
July 25	3.00	Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
July 26	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 26	10.00*	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
July 26	—	Keelung	Fukuken Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
July 26	5.00	Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 28	—	Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C. P. S.
July 28	10.00*	H'kong, C'ton	Szechuen	Br. B. & S.
July 28	D.L.	S. H'kong, Cton	Esang	Br. J. M. & Co
July 28	4.00	Ningpo, Pootoo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
July 28	11.00*	Amoy, Swatow	Nanchang	Br. B. & S.
July 28	—	Hongkong	Alaska Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
July 28	—	Hongkong	Iyo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 28	11.00*	H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
July 29	noon	Hongkong, Canton	Kaochow	Br. B. & S.
July 29	—	Hongkong	Africa M.	Jap. O.S.K.
July 31	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 1	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 3	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Aug. 4	—	Hongkong, Manila	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 6	—	Hongkong, Manila	West Jessup	Am. Lumber Co.
Aug. 7	—	Hongkong, Manila	W. Chopaka	Am. B. & S.
Aug. 12	—	Hongkong	E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 13	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 14	—	Hongkong	W. Carmona	Am. S. & B.
Aug. 17	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Aug. 18	—	Hongkong, Manila	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 24	—	Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 25	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 31	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

July 25	—	Dairen	Kohoku M.	Jap. O. S. K.
July 25	10.00*	Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K.M.A.
July 25	D.L.	Tsingtao	Taisang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 25	—	Tientsin	Hsinchang	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 25	D.L.	Antung	Wosang	Br. J. M. & Co
July 25	9.00*	Chefoo, Newchwang	Kiukiang	Br. B. & S.
July 26	9.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fausang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 26	10.00*	Tsingtao	Changchow	Br. B. & S.
July 26	—	Newchwang	Toonan	Chi C.M.S.N. Co.
July 26	D.L.	Chefoo, N'chwang	Taksang	Br J M & Co
July 26	10.00*	N'chwang, D'ny	Kwangse	Br. B. & S.
July 27	10.00*	Tientsin	Chekiang	Br. B.& S.
July 28	11.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. O.K.K.
July 28	11.00*	Tsingtao	Luchow	Br. B & S
July 29	11.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tingsang	Br J. M. & Co
July 29	D.L.	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 3	—	Hakodate	Tungus	Rus. S.H. & Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

July 25	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Changrung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 25	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
July 26	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	C. M. S. N. Co.
July 26	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. B. & S.
July 26	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
July 27	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 27	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
July 28	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B.& S.
July 29	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 30	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 30	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J.M. & Co.
July 30	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
July 31	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 31	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Hunan	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 1	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangtoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 1	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.

M. N.—MIDNIGHT D. L.—DAYLIGHT * A.M. †OMITTING WAIB.

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 30	4 p.m.	E. of Canada	Vancouver	Aug. 13

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 27	9 p.m.	Kashima M.	Marseilles	Sep. 2
July 30	9 p.m.	Yokohama M.	Seattle	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Celia
Chefoo	Today	9 p.m.	Taksang
Chefoo	Today	7.30 a.m.	Kiukiang
Tsingtao	July 26	8.30 a.m.	Changchow
Chefoo	July 26	8.30 a.m.	Kwangse
Tientsin	July 27	8.30 a.m.	Chekiang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	July 28	9 p.m.	Fengtien
Tsingtao & Dairy	July 28	9.30 a.m.	Sakaki M.

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	1 p.m.	Tenyo M.
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	E. Kirdorf
Foochow	Today	8 p.m.	Fukuken M.
Amoy	July 26	8.30 a.m.	Sunning
Hongkong & Canton	July 27	5 p.m.	E. of Russia
Hongkong & Canton	July 27	8.30 a.m.	Szechuen
Amoy and Swatow	July 28	9.30 a.m.	Nanchang
Swatow	July 30	9 p.m.	Soochow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Germany, ports	Today	5 p.m.	E. Kirdorf
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Today	1 p.m.	Tenyo Maru
Japan ports	July 26	7 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Japan ports	July 27	7 p.m.	Kaga Maru
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	July 27	5 p.m.	E. of Russia
Japan ports	July 28	8 a.m.	Nikko Maru
Java ports	July 29	5 p.m.	Tjimanoek
Japan ports	July 30	7 p.m.	Shanghai M.

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Nationality and Rating
—	July 23	Algol	Fr. Gun-boat
B N B	July 6	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
F N B	July 19	Colmar	Fr. Cruiser
M C W	———	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
M C W	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
I C	June 25	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat
U S N B	July 18	Sacramento	Am. Cruiser

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Nanning for Antung: Misses Speidon, Jones.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking for Ningpo: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. H. Moule, M. H. L. Gould.

Per C.N. s.s. Ngankin for Kiukiang: Mr. Waters, Capt. and Mrs. T. A. Kyle; for Hankow: Messrs. O. S. Sternwall, R. Eatough.

Per C.N. s.s. Tungchow for Weihaiwei: Mrs. Chiere and child, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Bennett and infant, Mr. and Mrs. Kopelman, Mrs. A. M. Richards and child, Mrs. L. F. Pike and child; for Tientsin: Messrs. F. M. Shaw, J. L. Stellingworff, Mrs. M. A. Christman, M. M. Selsby.

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo for Wuhu: Mr. Kabs; for Kiukiang: Dr. and Mrs. Fresson; for Hankow: I. G. Sullivan.

Per I-C. s.s. Kingsing for Chefoo: Comdr. W. R. Browne, Mrs. C. Lachin, Lieut. J. F. Finnegan, Lieut. J. R. White; for Tientsin: Miss Pfinger, Mrs. A. M. A. Trans.

Per Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison for Seattle: Mr. and Mrs. Donald Leonard, Mr. W. C. and Mrs. H. W. Belknap, Master E. S. Belknap, Mr. Adam and Mrs. Ester Zukovsky, Master Samuil Zukovsky, Mrs. Alexander and Miss Galina Vinokuroff, Capt. Geo. and Mrs. Leila Pettengill, Masters Geo. IH and Wm. V. H. Pettengill, Mr. M. and Mrs. H. Herkovitz, Mrs. Henry S. McDenald, Mr. Geo. J. and Mrs. Laura McCarthy, Master John K. Hecker, Mrs. Mary C. Hooker, Master Chas. C. Hooker, Misses Euma Robbins, Violet L. Hughes, Edith Hart, Messrs. Vern H. Armstrong, Chou Nai-teng, Kwok Tsai-Woot, Chang Chien Tsuen, Role Lauson; for Yokohama: Major A. Hilton Johnson, Messrs. U. G. Trondorf, A. H. Ginman; for Kobe: Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Niebser and infant, Mr. J. C. P. de'Auumpcao, Misses I. and M. de'Auumpcao, Mr. and Mrs. A. Fuchman, Master R. Fuchman.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangan from Hankow: Mr. P. Walter.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsin Kiangteen from Ningpo: Bishop H. J. Melony, Mr. W. M. Bates.

Per C.M. s.s. Toonan from Newchwang and Chefoo: Messrs. Chilson, W. H. Clark, C. C. Eey, J. McGer.

Per C.N. s.s. Tungchow from Tientsin: Messrs. Feox, Manders, McCandless; from Chefoo: Misses M. Speidel, Jeanette, Messrs. Paradissis, R. Wingrove; from Weihaiwei: Major General Sir J. Henry Fowler, Lady Fowler and two daughters, Capt. W. J. Humphey, Miss Jordan, Messrs. Frazer, R. Newman, G. Humphries.

Weather Report

Remarks on the 23rd.—High pressures over the Bonin. A low centre is crossing N Eastern China ENE ward. The China Sea typhoon has entered Kwangtung north ward. Apparently a new centre is moving NW ward or WNW ward off eastern Luzon. Summer monsoon over our coasts. Strong cyclonic circulation over Kwangtung. Fine and very hot weather in Central China. Rainy in Shantung.

Morning of the 24th.—Fine and hot weather. Pressure slightly rising. Southerly breezes.

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Cause No. 417, Civil No. 144. Order. Filed July 23, 1923.

On Motion For Execution

SYLLABUS

(By the Court)

1. Judgment: Payment to the clerk of the Court which rendered the judgment is usually sufficient and deposit of the amount due in a bank within the Court's jurisdiction to the clerk's credit will not be disturbed unless duly objected to and shown to be prejudicial to the judgment creditor.

2. Id.: Medium parties may stipulate for the judgment payable in foreign currency.

Richard T. Evans, Esquire, for the motion.

Theodore E. Simmang, Esquire, contra.

Lobingier, J.:

On or before March 20, 1916, the parties to this cause, through their respective counsel, entered into the following stipulation, which was filed on that date:

It is hereby stipulated by and between counsel for the plaintiffs and counsel for the defendant Samuel Zimmerman respectively, that judgment shall be entered for the plaintiffs against the said defendant in the sum of Roubles Fifty Thousand (Rbls. 50,000) in full of all claims of the plaintiffs against the said defendant arising out of the causes of action stated in the petition herein, on the condition, however, that the plaintiffs shall not avail themselves of this judgment to take out a writ of execution against the property of the said defendant until the expiration of four months after the declaration of peace between the belligerents engaged in the existing war, but nothing herein shall prejudice a proof of claim founded on this judgment against the estate in bankruptcy of the said defendant in the event that he is earlier declared a bankrupt.

Jernigan and Feaxenden
Counsel for plaintiffs.
Edgar Pierce Allen
Counsel for defendant.

On the same day and in pursuance of said stipulation this Court rendered and filed the following judgment:

This cause comes on for hearing upon the petition and answer filed herein and stipulation of the parties that judgment shall be entered for the plaintiff against the defendants according to the terms of said stipulation;

Upon consideration whereof the Court finds that there is due the plaintiff from the said defendants the sum of Roubles Fifty Thousand (Rbls. 50,000) in full of all claims of the plaintiff against the said defendants arising out of the causes of action stated in the petition herein; provided, however, that no execution hereon shall issue against the property of said defendants until the expiration of four months after the declaration of peace between the belligerents engaged in the existing war; but nothing herein shall prejudice a proof of claim founded on this judgment against the estate in bankruptcy of the said defendants in the event that they are declared bankrupts previous to said declaration.

It is conceded by plaintiff's present counsel in his brief that the war mentioned in the foregoing stipulation and judgment "terminated on the ratification of the Treaty of Versailles, January 10, 1920." Four months after that would have been May 10, 1920, of the same year, but under date of April 1, defendant's then counsel, the late Edgar Pierce Allen, wrote a letter which appears in the file and which reads in part as follows:

James P. Connolly, Esq.
Clerk, United States Court for China, Shanghai.

Dear Sir,

I beg to hand you herewith deposit receipt on the International Banking Corp., Tientsin, covering fifty thousand Roubles, endorsed to you, constituting a payment by Mr. S. Zimmerman on account of the judgment of the Court rendered in Tientsin, I think, early in 1916 in favor of J. P. Newman and Co. a German firm. The roubles are paid into Court because relations have not yet been resumed. I could have sent the notes to you in Shanghai, but thought it safer to place them in your control in a bank.

Subsequently the bank in question sent the clerk a receipt for:

"One package said to contain Roubles 50,000 held originally for account of E. P. Allen, and endorsed over to yourself."

"As a general rule a clerk of Court is authorised to receive payment of judgments rendered in his Court," (1) and this deposit in the bank to the Clerk's credit would seem to have been equivalent to deposit with him, and, therefore, to have constituted payment into Court within the foregoing rule and within the terms of the stipulation and judgment.

Plaintiff, however, has sought an execution on the ground "that the debt for which judgment was given is payable in gold roubles or the intrinsic value of fifty-one and one half cents lawful currency of the United States."

It will be seen, however, that no such provision is contained either in the stipulation or in judgment, both of which merely require defendant to pay "Roubles Fifty-thousand (Rbls. 50,000) in full of all claims." This was entirely within the discretion of the parties,

"If a particular kind of currency is contracted for, payment can only be made in that currency ..... Payment can be made other than in money if the contract so provides or the creditor consents thereto or acquiesces therein." (2)

We are cited to decisions that where action is brought in another country than that in which the debt is payable the amount is to be computed in the domestic currency according to the rate of exchange at the time of trial or judgment (3) or in some cases at the time of the breach complained of (4). This action, however, is not brought in a jurisdiction foreign to that in which the contract was made or was to be performed, and unlike the cases cited, the question of the medium of payment is not left to the Court's discretion, nor to any other contingency, but is rigidly fixed by the stipulation upon which the judgment was based. Cases more nearly in point are those in which payment was contracted for in Confederate currency. (4) But there was no stipulation, as here, for judgment in that currency, which, moreover, ceased to have either value or validity when the do facto government issuing it had ceased to exist.

We think the question here is purely one of payment, of which defendant seems to have made out a prima facie case. Plaintiff, however, seems to contend that at the time when payment was required there were more than one kind of rouble and that it was contemplated by the parties that the judgment should be payable in this particular kind. Of this there is no evidence before the Court, but such evidence would seem to be admissible within the rule fixed by the Supreme Court (6) and we are not disposed to reject it, even at this late stage of the proceedings. We merely hold that on the face of the record defendant appears to have made payment in accordance with the terms of the judgment and that if the roubles deposited are not those contemplated it is for the defendant so to prove.

The motion for execution is accordingly overruled.

(1) American and English Encyc. of Law (2nd Ed.) XVII, 860, n. 5.
(2) Cyc. XXX, 1216-1187.
(3) Md. Marbury v. Marbury (1866) 26 Md. 8, 90 Am. Dec. 84; Capron v. Adams (1868), 28 Md. 529.
(4) Pa. Lee v. Wilcocks, 1819, 5 S. and R. (Pa.) 448. Wis. Hawe v. Wolcock, 1870, 26 Wis. 629.
(4) Di Ferdinando v. Simon Smits and Co., (1920), 3 K. B. 409 Manners v. Pearson (1898) 1. Ch. 581. Lebeaupin v. Crispin (1920). 2 K.B. 714. Barry v. Van den Huk (1920) 3 K.B. 709.
(5) Rives v. Duke 105 U. S. 132, 26 L. Ed. 1031. Wilmington, etc. R. Co. v. King, 91 U. S. 3, 23 L. Ed. 186.
(6) Rives v. Duke, 105 U. S. 132, 26 L. Ed. 1031, and citations.

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